

## GREATEST FLEET IN THE WORLD

### "WILL REHEARSE FOR WAR WITH GERMANY"

Admiral "Charlie" in Command  
of 310 Ships for North Sea  
Manoeuvres.

London, June 30.—The mobilization of all British warships in home waters available for immediate service was completed to-day for the annual manoeuvres, and Admiral Lord Charles Beresford finds himself in supreme command of a total of not less than 301 ships, with an aggregate complement of 68,000 officers and men. With the exception of the coast guards, all these men are on the active list of the navy.

Local pride in the record size of this fleet is pronounced, and the newspapers, while they proclaim that the array of such a force in the North Sea is in no manner connected with Germany, do not fail incidentally to compare this, the greatest fleet ever assembled in the history of the world, with the fleet of 62 vessels with which Germany recently carried out her North Sea manoeuvres.

Officially, all thought of reproducing the sea operations that might be expected in the event of difficulties with Germany is repudiated, but from the general character of the instructions issued, it appears that Admiral Beresford, with the Channel fleet and the first cruiser squadron based at Aalborg Bay, at the extreme north of Denmark, is to enact the part of the enemy and assay a descent on the eastern coast of Great Britain, while Admiral Bridgeman, commander-in-chief of the home fleet, with its base in the Firth of Forth, has to defend.

### BOTTLED ALE CRIME PROVES SENSATIONAL

### Autopsy on Philadelphia Doctor Reveals Murder by Poison.

Philadelphia, June 30.—The laying bare of a most sensational murder is promised by the authorities in the case of Dr. Wm. H. Wilson, of this city, who died at his home on Friday night after drinking a portion of a bottle of ale which had been sent to him by express. An autopsy performed by the coroner's physicians, according to the coroner, proves conclusively that Dr. Wilson died of cyanide of potassium poisoning.

The ale came on Tuesday a week ago by express, and in the mail on the same day he received a typewritten letter purporting to have been sent by the Peter Schemm Brewing Company of this city, informing him that a sample bottle of ale had been sent to him for trial. Investigation showed, according to the police, that Schemm brews no ale, and that the company never sent any such letters as that received by the physician.

Dr. Wilson had scarcely swallowed half a glass of the beverage when he was seized with convulsions and fell to the floor. It is believed that he immediately realized that he was the victim of poison, either by mistake or design. In his agony he requested his wife to keep that which was left. The police have learned, they allege, that Dr. Wilson attended during a fatal illness a member of the family of a young man who will be charged with being the poisoner.

Investigating Case.  
Philadelphia, Pa., June 30.—(Later.)—The police of this city hope to be able to make an important move to-day in the case of Dr. William H. Wilson, who died suddenly last Friday night after drinking a bottle of ale, and who is believed to have been threatened with destruction. It was thought the doctor died from natural causes at first, but there were so many suspicious circumstances surrounding his death that the coroner decided to investigate. This resulted in an expressed opinion that Dr. Wilson was poisoned, and that he did not administer the poison himself.

BISHOP POTTER DYING.  
Copperstown, June 30.—Bishop Potter, of New York, is not expected to live through the day. He had a very restless night and is reported to be very low this morning.

CATTLE THIEF.  
Ingersoll, Ont., June 30.—John and Ed McGraw, brothers, are under arrest charged with stealing cattle from Dereham, farmers.

CHAMPLAIN'S BIRTHPLACE.  
Quebec, June 30.—The Mayor of Brouage, France, has accepted an invitation to attend the centenary celebration as the special representative of Champlain's birthplace.

BUSH FIRE AT FERNIE.  
Ferne, June 30.—Steady rain has put the big bush fire out of business. Much valuable timber was destroyed, but no ranches or dwellings suffered.

BLACK HAND AT FERNIE.  
Ferne, June 30.—Four more "black hand" suspects have been arrested by the local police here. This makes a total of fifteen who have been gathered in.

## ROYAL SYMPATHY.

Waldorf Astor Gives Garden Party in Aid of Barnado Homes.

London, June 30.—The Duchess of Connaught and Princess Patricia spent the week-end at Cliveden as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Waldorf Astor, who yesterday gave a brilliant garden party in aid of the Barnado homes. The Bishop of Virginia was present and the Duke of Connaught, who came especially for the occasion, made sympathetic speeches in favor of the Barnado movement.

## JUDGMENT IN FISHERY CASE.

(Special to the Times).  
Vancouver, June 30.—In the case of C. H. Lilley, of Seattle, vs. the A. R. Johnson Fishery Co., of Victoria, Judge Martin today gave Lilley the judgment on a foreign decision of the Washington state for twelve thousand dollars.

## FIRST CASE LOST UNDER LEMIEUX ACT

Breach of Contract Action at  
Edmonton is Dismissed  
by Judge Stuart.

(Special to the Times).

Edmonton, June 30.—An action for twelve thousand dollars damages for breach of contract, brought by the United Mine Workers of America against the Strathcona Coal Company, was dismissed by Justice Stuart, of the Supreme court, yesterday. The judge held that the district of the United Mine Workers had not a right to sue or to be sued as it was unincorporated and unregistered. With regard to the eighteen individual miners who were plaintiffs in the action, the judge dismissed the case on the grounds of their claim being different. They had no right to sue collectively, but should bring an action individually. This is the first case lost under the Lemieux Act.

## GERMAN COURT SCANDAL.

Berlin, June 30.—Prince Zu Eulenberg appeared yesterday before a judge and jury to stand trial on charges of perjury and subordination of perjury in connection with the recent scandals, the revelation of which created a sensation. The proceedings, according to the lawyers engaged in the case, are likely to be a very prolonged one, possibly lasting for weeks, owing to the large number of witnesses to be examined. On the state's attorney's demands for the exclusion of the public and the press in consequence of the evidence endangering public morals, the judge had the courtroom cleared, not to be reopened until a verdict was reached.

## DIES FROM TIGER BITE.

(Special to the Times).  
Los Angeles, June 30.—Herman Gerson, a keeper who was bitten by a tiger at the city zoo on June 13th, died this morning.

## A. W. GORE IS ENGLISH TENNIS CHAMPION

Defeats Barrett in Finals at  
Wimbledon—Mrs. Sterry  
Also Wins.

Wimbledon, June 30.—A. W. Gore won the All-England lawn tennis championship here to-day by defeating H. R. Barrett, 3 to 2. The scores were 6-3, 6-2, 4-6, 3-6 and 6-4.

Mr. Gore last carried off the title in 1901. The Australian player, Norman E. Brooks, won last year. Mr. Brooks will not defend the title this year.

Mrs. Sterry vanquished the all-comers in the ladies' singles. In the absence of Miss Sutton, of California, the present holder of the British title, she becomes champion.

## COUNTRY GREATLY EXCITED.

Masked Bandits Fire Man's House and Steal His Daughter.

(Special to the Times).  
Coalinga, Cal., June 30.—Two masked men set fire to the barn of Adolph Dominguez, a wealthy farmer, last night, and when he appeared held him up with guns and abducted his 18-year-old daughter to hold her for \$5,000 ransom. The country is greatly excited.

## FIGHTING ANTI-BETTING BILL.

Albany, N. Y., June 30.—Two of the several racing associations in this state, the Coney Island Jockey Club and the Saratoga Association, filed statements with the secretary of state yesterday showing the money they expended in opposing before the legislature the Agnew-Hart anti-betting bill, the total aggregating over \$15,000. The statements are certified to by the secretary of the Coney Island Jockey Club and President Hitchcock for the Saratoga Association. The statements show that the expenditures were for "retainers of counsel, fees and disbursements."

## NOT FOR MONTREAL.

Montreal, June 30.—The Montreal city council at a meeting yesterday afternoon voted down a proposal for the creation of a board of control, similar to Toronto, by a vote of 23 to 15. The members of the council were apparently afraid of losing the ward patronage if a board of control were elected.

## SUGGESTS CRUSADE AGAINST OPIUM

### RECOMMENDATIONS OF MACKENZIE KING

Governments Should Unite in  
Stifling Operations of  
Industry.

(Special to the Times).

Ottawa, June 30.—Mackenzie King's report regarding the settlement of the Chinese claims was presented to parliament to-day and recites the facts brought out at Vancouver during the investigation. It says the damage claims, totalling \$25,000, are approved by an order in council, and \$1,000 allowed for the legal expenses of the claimants. The total amount allowed the Japanese and Chinese in connection with the riots totals \$26,025.

Mr. King concludes the report with a strong recommendation that the operations of the opium industry in Canada should receive the immediate attention of the federal parliament and the provincial legislatures with a view to the enactment of measures to render impossible the continuance of such an industry save in so far as may be needed for medicinal purposes.

## DISCOVERED OF CUMBERLAND MINES

Samuel Cliffe, of Lorne Hotel,  
Passes Away at  
Comox.

(Special to the Times).

Nanaimo, June 30.—The death occurred on Sunday at Comox of one of a party of five prospectors who discovered the Cumberland coal mines in the person of Samuel Cliffe. Deceased was a proprietor of the Lorne hotel and was one of the best known residents of the district. He was in his sixty-fifth year and a prominent member of the Masonic fraternity. The funeral, which takes place to-morrow, will be under the auspices of the Masons.

## CLOSING EXERCISES AT DUNCAN.

High School May Be Established in  
Island Town.

(Special to the Times).

Duncan, June 30.—The closing exercises took place in the Duncan school yesterday afternoon. The programme consisted of a number of school songs, dialogues and recitations. The room was filled with parents and friends. Speeches were made by the chairman, Rev. F. Granville-Christmas and Rev. Forbes Robertson.

The entrance examination, at which six of the Duncan pupils were candidates, was held on the 15th inst. The results will be known for some weeks. Twenty in all from the district tried this examination.

An effort is being made to have a high school established in the district. The children who have passed this examination are too young to be sent home to board and attend high school in a city.

James Maitland-Douglas has just had new engines put in his motor boat in Victoria. Hubert Keast and Mr. Hutcheson accompanied Mr. Maitland-Douglas to take the boat to Cowichan bay. The boat will probably be entered in the races. An initial trip is being made with her to Piers Island.

## BRITISHER WINS AT GOLF.

Versailles, June 30.—G. H. Taylor, of Richmond, England, defeated Arnaud Massey, the French golf champion, for among the other entries for the four rounds of the course of 300 to 304. Among the other countries for the championship were James and Harry Vardon, both former British champions.

## INJURED AT EXTENSION.

(Special to the Times).  
Laysanville, June 30.—Close on quitting time on Saturday afternoon a man named Peter Cain was seriously burned in Extension mine by an explosion of gas. It appears that Cain, who is a digger No. 3 mine, had blasted a shot and had gone back to see what it had done. Just as he reached the place the roof began to cave in and the concussion brought the gas down on to the loop in his head. Instantly there was an explosion, and Cain was severely scorched about the neck and face, and hands and forearms. He is, however, doing all right.

## RESCUE JUST IN TIME.

Port Colborne, Ont., June 30.—F. Johnston, government engineer, plunged into the Welland canal yesterday and rescued Godfrey Ridstone from drowning, as he was going down for the third time. Mr. Johnston was 110 yards from the canal when he heard the shouts for help and rushed to the rescue in the nick of time.

## BY LAUDANUM ROUTE.

Sarnia, June 30.—Two women, berry picking on the Indian reserve, stumbled across the body of a dead man, supposed to be Alex. McAnst, but whose place of residence is unknown. A bottle at the side of the body half filled with laudanum told the story.

## FIGURES INDICATE WINNIPEG'S GROWTH

(Special to the Times).  
Winnipeg, June 30.—The total estimated expenditure of the city for the current year is two million one hundred thousand dollars. The tax rate is fifteen mills a reduction of one mill. The rateable assessment is one hundred and sixteen million dollars.

## MEXICAN TROOPS DISPERSE BANDITS

### REVOLUTION SHOWS SIGNS OF COLLAPSE

All Soldiers of Texan Department  
Are Advancing on  
Border.

Monterey, June 30.—A dispatch to the News from Torreon, says the special correspondent of the News has just returned from a trip to Vesica with the tenth regiment from Mexico City, composed of 280 men under the command of Brigadier-General Juan N. Moran. At the station of Galita information was received that a band of insurgents had been routed there burning the bridge about a mile and a half on the other side of Galita and cutting the telegraph wires both ways.

In view of this Gen. Duran ordered part of his force to make a general hunt through the mountain and the remainder to repair the bridge. This was done and after 24 hours on the way the train finally reached Vesica. The forces hunting in the mountains captured four men.

The men stated that the bandits had dispersed and were now scattered. At Vesica the troops made several arrests, among them being Montecano Estrada, who was the principal instigator of the raids; Benito Ubarra, a merchant of Vesica, who took an active part in the raid and was the chief of the band and Albina Polemmo, a tailor, who was well known and are identified by all residents of Vesica, and the surrounding country, having been with the bandits during the raid.

Troops For Border.  
San Antonio, Tex., June 30.—By order of the war department, federal troops of the department of Texas, under the command of Brigadier-General Meyer have been ordered to proceed without delay to the Mexican border for the purpose of preserving the neutrality law between the United States and Mexico.

Practically all of the troops in the department are on their way to Leon Springs, where manoeuvres are to be held commencing on July 2nd. The troops will leave camp this morning.

Forces in Collision.  
Monterey, Mex., June 30.—Troops of the seventh regiment, which left Matamoros on Sunday in pursuit of the band, who attacked that town, countered them yesterday morning after several hours' pursuit.

Washington, D. C., June 30.—Prompt acknowledgment has been made by Brigadier-General Meyer, in command of the department of Texas, to the order sent him last night requiring that the dispatch of a number of troops to assist the civil authorities in enforcing a strict compliance with the neutrality laws.

The view of the officials here is that the main operations of the revolutionists appear to be centered largely in the state of Coahuila, and as it borders Texas at Del Rio, it is in close proximity to several army stations from which the necessary troops can be quickly sent. Officials of the administration predict a speedy collapse of the revolutionary movement in Mexico.

Mr. Geddel discussed with Acting Secretary Bacon, the latest reports at hand regarding the troubles. The Mexican embassy and the state department have been notified of the situation. The appeal limited to Washington but no news is at hand as to the time when he will reach here. The United States ambassador at the City of Mexico, is keeping the state department daily advised of conditions as reported by the Mexican government, but his dispatches are withheld by the officials.

## SHIPBUILDER KILLED.

(Special to the Times).  
Salem, Ogn., June 30.—John Lindstrom, widely known on the Pacific coast as a shipbuilder and twice mayor of Aberdeen, Wn., fell from a fourth story window here this morning and was instantly killed.

## SOLDIERS RIOT AT PORT TOWNSEND

### POLICE FORCE IS SEVERELY USED

Accusation of Vandalism  
Raises Ire of Military  
Men.

Port Townsend, June 30.—As a demonstration against a local editor who in an article criticising a number of soldiers who recently were accused of vandalism in Chetzemaco Park and loitering with young girls called them "thirteen-dollar lovers," a riot was started last night in front of the Call, a local daily, and serious trouble was only averted by the prompt action of the local authorities and the acceptance of the counsel of wiser heads among their companions. In attempting to curb the force numbering several hundred troops from Fort Warden garrison, Chief of Police Barclay and his force were severely used, the chief receiving bad cuts about the head from blows administered.

Persons unknown demolished the plate glass windows of the office of the newspaper. Throughout last night this city was practically under martial law with the efforts of officers of the post to return all soldiers to their barracks. Under command of Capt. Harry W. Newton, a provost guard, covered the city, visiting every resort and barroom that might contain any responsible for the outbreak. One hundred stragglers were picked up. Leaders not deterred; investigation under way.

## HURLED TO DEATH IN 'FRISCO EXPLOSION

Two Buildings Wrecked and  
Four Lives Lost in Mysteri-  
ous Occurrence.

San Francisco, June 30.—A mysterious explosion, followed by a fire, occurred yesterday at Diamond and Cherry streets, causing the death of four persons, injuring four others and completely destroying two buildings and causing a loss of \$30,000.

The dead—John Sweeney, aged 50; Mrs. John Sweeney, aged 50; Ellen Sweeney, aged 11; Antonie Dismeyer, aged 2.

The injured—Mrs. Mary Dismeyer, aged 17; Frederick Sweeney, aged 24; Frederick Dismeyer, aged 24; Thomas Hart, fireman.

The explosion took place in the building occupied as a grocery store and saloon by John Sweeney and S. F. Johnson. Both were closed at the time of the disaster. The Sweeneys lived just above the grocery store and the Dismeyer family resided in an upper flat. All the victims were in bed at the time.

The elder Sweeney, his wife and daughter and little Antonie Dismeyer were instantly killed. The baby's body was blown through a window and was found in a tree. Frederick Dismeyer was hurled through another window and terribly bruised. Frederick Dismeyer made his escape, but rushed back into the burning house and carried his wife out through the flames, both being badly burned. Mrs. Dismeyer is not expected to recover. Antonie Dismeyer, senior, carried his mother out of the house and both escaped injury.

The cause of the explosion as well as the motive for the crime is unknown.

## HOMELESS THROUGH BUSH FIRES.

(Special to the Times).  
Hallebury, June 30.—Forty-four families are homeless as a result of bush fires raging at the southeastern boundary of the town. Although the loss will be small, the blow will be a hard one on the sufferers, as most of them have lost all in the fire. Eleven houses and shacks were burned on Saturday and three on Sunday.

## CAMOSUN APPEAL ALLOWED.

(Special to the Times).  
Ottawa, June 30.—The Supreme court gave judgment to-day to grant leave of appeal to the Privy Council in the British Columbia Bow-Melchior case, against the ship Camosun. The appeal limited to the question whether, or not there will be a reduction in the amount of mortgage on the ship as claimed by the defendants.

## WAGES REDUCED.

Agreement Between Tin and Steel Companies Affects 10,000 Workmen.  
Pittsburg, Pa., June 30.—A wage agreement has been reached between representatives of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers and the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company. The new agreement amounts to a five per cent. reduction in the pay of the tin workers, and a cut of 2 per cent. in the scale for the sheet department. About 10,000 men are affected.

## EDINBURGH 'VARSITY ELECTION.

London, June 30.—Professor Wm. Geller, professor of medicine at Oxford University, has been selected as an independent candidate for the Lord Rectorship at Edinburgh University. Winston Spencer Churchill, president of the board of trade, and Geo. Wyndham, former chief secretary for Ireland, are respectively the Liberal and Conservative candidates.

## ROOF GARDEN SUICIDE.

New York, June 30.—Dr. Peter V. Burnett, a specialist on diseases of the eye, ear and throat, committed suicide yesterday by dropping from the roof garden of the Mount Sinai hospital, in this city, where he was under treatment for a nervous break-down.

## OTTAWA'S FIRST JAP BABY.

Ottawa, June 30.—The first Japanese child born in Ottawa arrived on Sunday, when a daughter was born to the new Japanese consul general, Mr. Shimidzu.

## NEW YORK'S LATEST TOWER OF BABEL

Structure to Pierce the Clouds  
With Its 62 Storeys  
High.

New York, June 30.—Plans for a new skyscraper, to be the highest structure in the world, were officially filed yesterday by architects for the Equitable Insurance Society.

The projected building will be a sixty-two story structure, 369 feet from the curb to the tip of the tower, above which will be stepped a flagstaff 30 feet in height. The ball on the flagstaff will be fourteen feet higher than the 985-foot steel structure of the Eiffel Tower in Paris.

The building will occupy the site of the present structure of the company on lower Broadway, covering an entire block, and will cost \$10,000,000.

## COLLEGE GUTTED.

Fire at Allegheny Thought to Be of Incendiary Origin.

Olean, N. Y., June 30.—St. Bonaventure College at Allegheny, N. Y., was burned early this morning. The fire was discovered in the students' room on the second floor in the rear of the building early to-day. Assistance was asked from Olean, but arrived too late. The loss is estimated at \$100,000 and the insurance at \$50,000. The fire is believed to have been of incendiary origin, as the school was closed and there was no one in the building.

## ONE MILLION SHINGLES BURN.

(Special to the Times).  
Port Townsend, June 30.—The dry kiln of the Dwyer shingle mill in Eagle Mount, in this county, was burned last night. The fire destroyed completely the kiln and one million shingles. The damage is \$125,000. There is believed to be no insurance.

## NEW YORK MAYORALTY SUIT.

New York, June 30.—Justice Lamont to-day directed the jury to find a verdict for Mayor McClellan in the election case suit, upholding Mr. McClellan's election.

## NOTABLE FEAT OF ZEPPELIN AIRSHIP

Flies for 6 3-4 Hours, Averag-  
ing Nearly 35 Miles an  
Hour.

Friedrichshafen, June 30.—Count Zeppelin's airship yesterday stood brilliantly the longest trip it has yet undergone. It remained in the air for six hours and three-quarters, attaining an average speed of 34 miles an hour throughout, although for a short period the speed reached was 39.2 miles. Count Zeppelin expressed the hope that he would be able to undertake a 400 mile journey overland on Thursday.

Napoleonic Feat.  
Brig, Switzerland, June 30.—The Swiss Aero Club's balloon Cognac has succeeded in crossing the Alps. This feat has often been attempted, but never before accomplished.

Flies 600 Metres.  
Paris, June 30.—M. Berliot yesterday succeeded in flying 600 metres with his monoplane machine, winning the Aero Club medal.

Official Flight in U. S. A.  
New York, June 30.—Arrangements were completed here last night for what it is said will be the first public officially tested flight ever made in America for a prize offered for successful navigation of the air by a heavier than air machine. The test will be made next Saturday at Hammonds, N. Y., by Glen H. Curtis, in his new machine, the Junebug, which made its notable flight of 1,140 yards last Thursday. It was the success of this flight that led Mr. Curtis a member of the Aeronautic Experience Society to challenge for the Scientific American cup offered last year, for competition for all types of heavier than air machines.

A meeting of the government of the Aero Club and members of the contest committee was held last night at which Mr. Curtis was present. The conditions stipulate that the first flight shall be for a distance of one kilometre, about 3,280 feet, in a straight line. This was altered, so that at the wish of the other members the distance may be covered in a curved line, which is really much more difficult. Mr. Curtis' flight last week was slightly over the required kilometre distance, having been 3,000 feet. He expressed confidence last night that he could win the cup.

## SHAH'S POWER MORE ABSOLUTE

### STATE OF ANARCHY PREVAILS AT LABRIZ

Wholesale Massacre and  
Looting Feared—Members  
of Council Hanged.

London, June 30.—A special dispatch from Teheran to the Times says that General Liakhoff, commissioner of the troops in that city, has issued a proclamation making his power more absolute than ever. The royal entourage is perturbed by the reported disagreement between General Liakhoff and Amir Bakhti. The Shah is hurrying reinforcements to the aid of the defeated reactionaries at Labriz, a wholesale massacre and looting being feared. Shah Triumphant.

Berlin, June 30.—A special dispatch from Labriz says that after several days' fighting the reactionaries, seated at that place has yielded and seeks the pardon of the Shah through the intermediation of the Russian consul. Summary Justice.

St. Petersburg, June 30.—A dispatch received here from Teheran says that twelve members of the national council condemned by court martial have been hanged.

## LORD CURZON AND AUTHOR.

London, June 30.—Lord Curzon of Kedleston has accepted the invitation to unveil the medallion of "John Oliver Hobbes" (Mrs. Craigie), which has been placed in the general library of University College, London, of which the late Mrs. Craigie was a student. The ceremony will take place to-morrow. A replica of the medallion is to be sent to America. Mrs. Craigie's birthplace.

## MAN WHO CAPTURED MCKINLEY'S ASSASSIN

Albert Gallagher Dies as Result  
of Injuries Received From  
Crowd.

Chicago, June 30.—Albert Gallagher, for many years in the secret service of the United States and one of those detailed as the personal bodyguard of the late President McKinley at the time of McKinley's assassination, died here to-day. It was Gallagher who seized the wrist of the assassin, Colgozzen when the fatal shot was fired, and wrenched the weapon from the hand of the slayer. Gallagher was at first mistaken by the crowd for the assassin and was set upon and beaten. To this fact, according to the attending physician, Gallagher's death was indirectly due. Affection of the liver developed from injuries received at the attack.

## HENLEY REGATTA.

Eton Wins Heat in Grand Challenge Cup To-day.

Henley, June 30.—The Henley regatta opened to-day with ideal weather and rowing conditions. The only novelty in the list of competitors is found in Eton's appearance in the race for the Grand Challenge cup, the most desired prize of the regatta. In the first heat the Etonians won the popular victory by defeating Pembroke College, Oxford, by one length.

## BIG FIRE AT COBALT.

Cobalt, June 30.—A big fire swept through the country four miles south-east of here and wiped out the plants of a dozen or more mines. Temiskaming lost a powder house, Columbus, the Cobalt mine, lost everything, the Coleman Development Co. lost all their buildings at Sham Creek, the mine diamond drill and the boiler were all that were saved.

## SUPFRAGETTES AGAIN.

London, June 30.—Woman suffragists assembled to the number of several hundred in Caxton Hall this afternoon and sent a deputation to the House of Commons for the purpose of interviewing Premier Asquith.

## FARMER'S SUDDEN DEATH.

Ottawa, June 30.—John Suffron, a well-known farmer of Montague township, died suddenly of heart disease while driving home alone. He was seventy years of age.

## RUSSIA'S HUGE LOAN.

St. Petersburg, June 30.—The Duma last night adopted the finance minister's bill authorizing an internal loan of \$150,000,000 to cover the anticipated budget deficit.

## AN ENGLISH DIPLOMAT.

London, June 30.—Sir Edward Balfour Mallet died here yesterday. He was born in 1837. Sir Edward Mallet was ambassador to Germany from 1894 to 1895.

## CHERRY TREE FATALITY.

Chatham, Ont., June 30.—David Barr, 28 years old, fell from a cherry tree and was probably fatally injured.

The Fifth Regiment band will give a concert at Beacon Hill Park to-morrow afternoon.



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## VICTORIA MEN GO TO QUEBEC

MEMBERS OF FIFTH FOR TERCENTENARY

Col. Hall Will Command All Troops West of Winnipeg—  
Lieut. Stern Adjutant.

Seventeen members of the Fifth Regiment, headed by Lieut.-Col. J. A. Hall, will attend the tercentenary celebration at Quebec, and will be accompanied by sixteen members of the militia from the infantry corps of other portions of the province. Col. Hall will be in command of all the troops sent to the tercentenary from west of Winnipeg. In addition to the officer in command, the quota from the Fifth will consist of one subaltern and fifteen non-commissioned officers and men. The combined draft from the other regiments of the province, including the Sixth of Vancouver, will be one subaltern and fifteen men, making a total of 32 representatives from British Columbia at the celebration. Lieut. B. T. Stern, of the Fifth, has been appointed adjutant of the contingent.

The reason for the large number allowed to the Fifth Regiment is that it is a garrison artillery, and is therefore on a different footing from the other military organizations of the province. The men to go will be selected by the company officers, to whom applications should be made at the drill hall as soon as possible. The list will have to be closed in sufficient time to allow Col. Hall to send to Col. Holmes, D. O. C., the names of the contingent on Thursday evening. It is not known yet when the men will leave for Quebec, but it is expected it will be on or about July 10th.

The district order relating to the matter was posted at Work Point last evening and reads as follows: "Quebec tercentenary celebration official contingent from military district No. 11: It has been decided to select the following detail of troops from M. D. No. 11 as part of the northwestern contingent to represent the active militia units of the district at the Quebec tercentenary celebration.

Garrison Artillery: Captains, 1; non-commissioned officers and men, 1; infantry, officers, 1; non-commissioned officers and men, 7. The above to be made up as follows: Fifth Regiment, R. C. A.: One captain and 15 non-commissioned officers and men.

Sixth Regiment, D. C. O. R.: One subaltern, 7 non-commissioned officers and men.

102nd Regiment (Nelson): Four non-commissioned officers and men.

C Company, Rocky Mountain Rangers: One non-commissioned officer or man.

3 Company, Rocky Mountain Rangers: One non-commissioned officer or man.

A Company, Kootenay Rifles: One non-commissioned officer or man.

B Company, Kootenay Rifles: One non-commissioned officer or man.

The names of all officers, non-commissioned officers and men selected to be submitted so as to reach this office not later than the 5th proximo.

The contingent is due to arrive in Quebec on the 18th proximo.

No pay will be granted in addition to annual drill pay. Rations will be issued during the time the contingent is in Quebec. Also a daily money allowance per officer and man while on the journey to and from Quebec.

The contingent will be quartered under canvas at Sabard park, Quebec.

The dress of all rank of each unit must be of uniform pattern, clean and well fitting. The service dress must not be used on any ceremonial parade or duty outside the respective corps. All officers must be provided with swords and where all of a unit is in possession of tunics such shall be worn on ceremonial parades, escort and guard of honor duties. Otherwise the serge frock shall be worn. At leaves the tunic must be worn by all attending. The helmet or full head

dress must be worn at all parades unless otherwise ordered.

Lieut.-Col. J. A. Hall, Fifth Regiment, has been appointed commandant of the contingent. Lieut. B. T. Stern has been appointed adjutant.

Transport arrangements will be made by the quarter master general, branch headquarters.

Final instructions will be circulated during the next few days.

E. E. BENNETT, Major, Acting D. & A.

**MANY PICNICS TO BE HELD TO-MORROW**  
General Exodus of Sunday School Scholars and Workers.

To-morrow, Dominion Day, there will be a general exodus from the city. Nearly all the Sunday schools will hold picnics. The Metropolitan and Spring Ridge Sunday schools are going to Langford Plains. There will be four trains out of the E. & N. Station, three in the forenoon and one in the afternoon; the times, 8 a. m., 9:30 a. m., 10:30 a. m. and 1 p. m.

The Sunday schools of St. Andrew's and First Presbyterian churches are going to enjoy themselves at Galtstream. There will be a baseball match between teams representing the churches, and a programme of sports has been arranged. Trains will leave Victoria at 8, 9, and 10 a. m. and 1 p. m. Returning trains will leave Galtstream at 5, 5:30 and 6 p. m.

Centennial Methodist Sunday school is going to Sidney. Two trains will run out on the V. & S., one leaving at 8 and the other about 11 a. m.

The King's Daughters of Victoria will run an excursion by the City of Nanaimo, which will leave at 9 a. m., returning at 3 p. m. There will be a band on board.

St. Paul's Sunday school will hold their annual picnic to-morrow at Oak Bay as in former years. A special car will leave the foot of Henry street, Victoria West, at 10 a. m.

The annual basket picnic of the Young Men's Institute will be held to-morrow at Macaulay Point. There will be a football match and sports galore.

The Anglican Young People's Association will assemble at St. John's hall at 9 o'clock. Accommodation has been secured in the launches at Esquimalt for sixty people.

The Baptist Sunday schools have arranged for a long programme of sports for their picnic to-morrow at Macaulay Plains. Special cars will leave at 9 and 10 a. m., returning at 8 p. m.

The Calvary, Central and Emmanuel Sunday schools are uniting in their picnic. The Sunday school of the First Congregational church will hold its annual picnic at White Lady Beach, on Esquimalt harbor. The pupils and their friends will leave the city about 9:30 in the morning for Esquimalt, going by train. Car boats will then convey them to the picnic grounds.

**KILLED IN STREET FIGHT.**  
Montreal, June 29.—In a street fight on Sunday night John A. Minera, an Italian, was shot in the abdomen by one of his companions at the corner of Mountain and St. James streets. The victim, who was 35 years old, died at the hospital. No arrests have yet been made.

## J. BRADY PASSED AWAY LAST EVENING

**Death of Well Known Resident of This City.**

The death occurred last evening at his residence, 338 Broughton street, of Henry J. Brady. The deceased has long been a resident of Victoria, being a member of the firm of the Brady-Houston Packing Company. He was a native of Hull, England. For the past twenty-three years he has resided in Victoria.

He is survived by his wife and a family of four children, three daughters and a son.

The funeral will take place to-morrow forenoon from his late residence at 10:45. Services will be held in Christ Church cathedral at 11, when the Ven. Archdeacon Seriven will officiate.

**BANK TELLER'S SUICIDE.**  
Victor Denison, of Toronto, Encompasses His Death by Means of Revolver.

North Bay, Ont., June 29.—Victor Denison, teller of the North Bay branch of the Imperial Bank, was found in his room over the bank at 2:30 yesterday afternoon with a bullet wound in his head, and died half an hour later. The discovery was made by Mrs. Ogden, wife of the manager, who heard the shot and immediately ran to the teller's room, there to find him dying.

On the floor was a loaded revolver with one chamber discharged.

Denison was 25 years of age, a son of Mrs. Denison, a widow, of Toronto, and a nephew of Magistrate Denison, of that city. No cause is given for Denison's act. He was in ill-health of late.

Seven tennis is in the opinion of a prominent doctor, the most healthful form of recreation.

**BORN.**  
DIER.—On the 28th inst., at Dallas road, to Dr. H. and Mrs. Dier, a son.

**MARRIED.**  
HART-MCKAY.—On Monday, 29th June, at Bishop's Palace, by Rev. Clement Cairne, John Hart to Harriet McKay.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**  
A HEAVY TEAM OF HORSES FOR SALE.—Young and sound, weight about 1,350. Can be seen at J. E. Painter's barn, Victoria West, after 6 o'clock in evening.

**BICYCLE BARGAINS.**—Several solid and almost new English and other makes, for sale at a snap. Apply Pitman's, 513 Government street.

**FOR EXCHANGE.**—Lots, Mount Tolmie avenue, for house in city, house, King's road, for lots at Oak Bay. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates street.

**FOR SALE.**—A good business in a good location, for lease, good reasons for selling. Address Box 435, Times Office.

**TEACHER WANTED.**—For Otter Point assisted school (near Victoria). Apply M. Emerson, Secy. School Board, Otter Point, B. C.

**TO LET.**—Furnished five roomed cottage, Victoria West, choice, \$30 per month. D. C. Reid & Co., Bromis Block. Phone 169.

## GO WITH THE Young Men's Institute To Macaulay Point On Their Annual-Basket Picnic To-morrow, July 1st

**GOOD RACES GOOD BASEBALL GAMES GOOD PRIZES**

Tickets at the regular 5c rate can be had from members of the committee at the B. C. E. Ry TICKET OFFICE, corner Yates and Government streets.

**SPECIAL CAR WILL LEAVE CORNER YATES AND GOVERNMENT STREET AT 10 O'CLOCK**

**TO LET.**—Nagara street, new seven roomed bungalow, near Park, \$35. D. C. Reid & Co., Promis Block. Phone 169.

**J. RINGSHAW** desires to announce to his patrons that his refreshment rooms and delicatessen store, corner of Yates and Broad, will be closed on Wednesday, as his entire staff has been engaged to cater to the Union Methodist picnic at Langford Plains. Business will be resumed as usual on Thursday morning.

**FOR SALE.**—A small grocery business, central, D. C. Reid & Co., Promis Block. Phone 169.

**FOR SALE.**—A bargain, a large modern house, Hillside Ave., also some of the best houses and lots in the city and environments, at all prices; acreage, etc. Empire Realty Co., 610 Yates street.

**FOR SALE.**—Small property at Mt. Tolmie, cheap for cash. Address E. C. Types Office.

**TO CONTRACTORS.**  
TENDERS will be received up until MONDAY, JULY 13th, for the erection of a SANATORIUM AT TRANQUILLE for the British Columbia Anti-Tuberculosis Society.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of DALTON & EVELEIGH, Architects, Davis Chambers, Vancouver.

Or S. PELLEEN, Parliament Building, Victoria.

**Granite and Marble Works**  
Monuments, Tablets, Granite Copings, etc., at lowest prices consistent with first-class stock and workmanship.

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# Christie's Annual Shoe Sale!

EVERY YEAR we hold a sale and clear out the entire stock we have on hand after a prosperous season's business, and will now be sold at prices at and below actual cost to manufacture. This is no advertising scheme but a GENUINE SALE where you get more than value for your money.  
Here are a few prices to show we mean business:

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| English "K" Boots sold everywhere for \$6.50 and \$7.00. Sale price \$4.50                          |               |
| MEN'S DONGOLA BALS, fancy cloth top, regular \$4.00.  |               |
| Sale price .....  | <b>\$2.95</b> |
| MEN'S ENGLISH BOOTS, regular price \$6.50. Sale price .....   | <b>\$3.95</b> |
| MEN'S DONGOLA AND BUFF BALS, all sizes.....   | <b>\$1.95</b> |
| MEN'S PATENT AND DONGOLA OXFORDS, DONGOLA CONGRESS AND DONGOLA BALS. Sale Price.....                | <b>75c</b>    |
| WOMEN'S DONGOLA LACE AND BUTTON BOOTS, welt sole, regular prices \$3.50 and \$4.00. Sale price..... | <b>\$1.00</b> |
| WOMEN'S PATENT OXFORDS.....   | <b>\$2.95</b> |
| WOMEN'S PATENT BOOTS, regular \$3.50 to \$5.00. Sale price .....                                    | <b>\$3.00</b> |
| WOMEN'S DONGOLA BALS, welt soles, regular \$3.50 and \$4.00. Sale price .....                       | <b>\$2.90</b> |
| WOMEN'S FRENCH HEEL OXFORDS, regular price \$3.50 and \$4.00 .....                                  | <b>\$2.25</b> |
| BOYS' BOOTS, sizes 1 to 5 .....   | <b>\$1.55</b> |
| BOYS' BOOTS, sizes 11 to 2 .....  | <b>\$1.35</b> |
| MISSSES' BOOTS, sizes 11 to 2 .....   | <b>\$1.25</b> |
| MISSSES' STRAP SLIPPERS AND OXFORDS, sale price.....  | <b>\$1.20</b> |
| CHILD'S DONGOLA BOOTS .....   | <b>\$1.15</b> |
| BABIES' BOOTS, pair .....   | <b>25c</b>    |

These are only a few prices; see windows for more. Come and have a look even if you don't buy. Come early and get your pick of the best.  
**Sale Commences THURSDAY MORNING, JULY 2nd, 8 O'CLOCK.**

Remember the Place: **Christie's** Cor. Government & Johnson Streets

**WEATHER DRY WATER SCARCE**  
What About Your Fire Insurance  
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1207 Government St.



## SCHOOLS CLOSE FOR HOLIDAYS

### LISTS OF PROMOTIONS ANNOUNCED TO-DAY

Many of the Classes Held Closing Exercises This Forenoon.

A pleasing ceremony took place at the high school this afternoon when E. B. Paul, M. A., who for the past sixteen years has been principal, was made the recipient of two farewell gifts as a token of the esteem in which he is held by the teachers and pupils of the school.

The presentations were made in the Assembly hall and little speech-making was indulged in. The gift from the teachers was a beautifully bound set of Shakespeare, while a handsome watch fob was given Mr. Paul as a send-off by his pupils.

To-night the Teachers' Institute of the city will entertain Mr. Paul informally as a manner of welcoming him to his new position as superintendent of city schools. At the same time a farewell will be given Mr. Dean, who is retiring from the principalship of the Boys' Central school, to accept the position of Inspector of public schools.

No formal closing exercises were held at the Central school this morning because both the principal of the boys' school, Mr. Dean, and of the girls' school, Miss Williams, are fully engaged at the present time with work connected with the entrance examinations.

At the boys' school this morning the medals won by the pupils in the Annual Field Meet were presented by E. B. Paul, M. A., the retiring principal of the high school. Mr. Paul also presented the school with the Swinerton Perpetual Challenge cup for athletics, which has been won for the second time by the Central boys.

The promotion and honor lists, with the exception of the 1st and 2nd division boys, and the first division girls, which will not be ready until after the entrance examinations, is as follows:

#### BOYS' CENTRAL

Division III. to Entrance Class—F. G. C. Wood.

Promotion list—Fred. Beckwith, Richard Bray, Cecil Drader, George Dempsey, Leslie Davies, Clarence Harris, Reginald McKeon, Fred Milne, Stanley Moore, Douglas Morry, Blaine Sheldon, Leo Tribe, Cedric Touby, Robert S. Yates.

#### Honor Rolls.

Proficiency, Stanley Graham Moore; deportment, James Freeman Cameron; regularity and punctuality, Cecil Drader, Leslie Davies, Douglas Morry, Fred Milne and Stephen A. Spencer.

Division IV. to Entrance—E. Campbell.

Promotion list—Edwin Baldwinson, Henry Brown, Gordon Campbell, David Chew, Clifford Foxall, Thomas Jones, Reginald Litchfield, William Malcolm, Robert McKay, William McKay, Ray McCallum, Wilbur Ney, Leslie O'Brien, Raymond Rowan, Percy Riddle, Alec Staples, Gustav Sivertz, Hugh Skelton, Clausen Thompson, Arthur Todd, Roy Willie, Charles Wall.

#### Honor Rolls.

Departments, Edward Andrews; proficiency, Robert McKay; regularity and punctuality, Thomas Jones, Marshall Henderson, Cyril Harrison, Clarence Jones, William McKay, James Townsend.

Division V. to Division III. and IV.—J. Clearhue.

Promotion list—Lewis Heald, Stanley House, William Cutler, Ronald Davies, Arthur Johnson, Leslie Ure, Sam Nang, Edward Wootton, George McAlair, George Corry, John Simpson, Howard Carter, William Cameron, Arthur Rideout, Edward Dalziel, Alexander Dalgarno, Edward Nicholas, Basil Whitfield, Herbert Charlton, Claude Floyd, Donald McIntyre, Duca Zurelli, Adam Knox, Arthur Aird, Victor Harte, Arthur Mason, Harold Lawrence, Wong Kee, Robert McBrady, Warren Waterson, James Halley, Edward Bayntine, Harry Ely, Henry Hansen, Harold Clark, John Wilson, Douglas Adams, Robert Lang.

#### Honor Rolls.

Proficiency, Lewis Heald; punctuality and regularity, Arthur Aird, Edward Bayntine, Ponnall Walls; deportment, George Corry.

Division VI. to Division V.—J. Sillis.

Promotion list—C. Berryman, J. Billingsley, J. Clemence, P. Corry, H. Cross, F. Dangerfield, D. Dames, W. S. Doe, B. Drysdale, F. C. Drysdale, J. Forrester, T. Forrester, L. Gilbert, K. Goodwin, R. Hamilton, T. Hodgson, C. Lee, A. Longland, A. McCoubrey, C. McCoubrey, G. R. McDonald, K. McKenzie, C. Milloy, A. Moody, B. W. Neal, E. Parsons, G. Pauline, A. Poudrier, A. Redgrave, W. Rendall, R. Rigby, B. Ross, A. Rutherford, C. Sigurdson, M. J. Smith, R. H. Sproule, G. B. H. Stevens, M. Tait, A. Wheatley, A. T. Wood, Chas. Woodley, S. Youlton.

#### Honor Rolls.

General proficiency, H. Cross; deportment, C. McCoubrey; punctuality and regularity, J. Brown, J. Clemence, R. Hamilton, A. McCoubrey, R. H. Sproule.

Division VII.—D. S. Thomas.

Promotions from Division VII. to Division VI. (Intermediate Grade)—Anderson, Bowen, B. B. Burnett, C. E. Chaloner, Clyde Collings, Dorey, Edna, Leslie Foxgord, Freeman Godson, Hamburger, Hand, Hardwick, Harrison, Kilpatrick, Leary, Mackenzie, MacRae, Robert Mason, Charles Mee, Miller, Milligan, Oulmet, Paterson, Pauline, Punnett, Revercomb, Riddle, Ross, Slater, Stevens, Terry, Wain, Wall, Wolfe, Woodley, Yarwood.

#### Honor Rolls.

General proficiency, Harold Stevens; deportment, Gustav Hamburger; punctuality and regularity, Edna Collings and Roy Wolfe.

Division VIII.—J. Cunningham.

Promotions to Division VI.—Beynon, Bray, Doan, Eddie, Forrester, Grant, Greg, MacEachern, P. Smith, Terry, Winterburn.

Promotions to Division VII.—Barton.

Billard, Bishop, Christie, Cox, Dames, Fair, Ford, Goodwin, Graham, Horne, Jenkin, Livingstone, Lowman, Lumsden, Margetts, A. McDonald, C. McIlwaine, W. McIlwaine, Mittalstadt, P. O'Neill, C. O'Neill, Punnett, Savannah, Stevens, H. Walton, Wenger.

#### Division VIII—Honor Rolls.

General proficiency, Ivor Grant; deportment, Sybil Doan; regularity and punctuality, Arthur Cox, Gordon MacEachern, Clifford McIlwaine, Willie McIlwaine, Frederick O'Neill.

#### Division IX—J. M. F. Barron.

Promotion list to Division VIII—James Bell, Donald Hanna, Matthew McCabe, Willie Baker, George Harris, Francis Wootton, Francis McNamee, Frank Sproule, Malcolm Wain, Cecil Nelson, Arthur Corry, Albert Cox, Harry Johnston, Willie Walk, Douglas Gregson, Ernest Emery, Percy Gilson, Frank Moody, Alfred Jackson, Kenneth Dickson, Gage Moody, Fred Burns, Willie Macrae, Brock Whitney, Gordon Cosh, Robert Ridout, Wallace Craig, Leon Conyers, Robin Carter, David Macfarlane, Walter Milloy, George Elliott, Clarence Moody, Allan Fraser, Francis Bingham, Ernest Nelson, Owen Butcher, Alex. Cameron, Edwin Greens, Cecil Hay, Gordon Paterson, Wallace Alexander, Willie Pook, Edgar Bennett, Roy Clegg, Victor Plummer, Ray Campbell, Alex. McKinney, Percy Jones, Norman Alexander.

#### Honor Rolls.

Proficiency, James Robertson; deportment, Leon Dawson; Conyers; regularity and punctuality, James Cecil Hay, Walter Allan Milloy, Francis Yardley Wootton, William Walls.

#### Division X—L. M. Sylvester.

Promotion list to Division IX—Kingsley Balfour, Willie Bailey, Robert Buckett, Albert Collinson, Claude Campbell, Harvey Decarteret, Robert Dunn, Leonard Edge, Harry Earle, Winston Gardner, Victor Gravelin, Harold Graham, Robert Hepburn, Lorenz Hafer, Vernon Jones, Stanley Johnston, Douglas Knowles, Percy Lipsky, Tom Lumsden, Leslie McDonald, Chas. McGregor, James McKelvie, Dallas McNeil, Clifford Macklin, Harold Moore, Russell Moore, Joe Moody, Willie McKenzie, Charlie Muir, Harold O'Neill, Newton Pullen, Wilfred Pauline, Willie Pears, Claude Robinson, Herbert Parry, Kenneth Skeene, Tupper Smith, Fred Townsend, Robert Todd, Clarence Vey, Chas. Wriglesworth, Jack Whiteley, Harry Wilby, Dan Wallace, Edwin Williamson, Albert Yarwood, Frank Appleby.

#### Division X—Honor Rolls.

Proficiency, William Hedley Bailey; deportment, Newton Fisherbert Pullen; regularity and punctuality, Clifford Devalle Macklin, Clarence James Vey, Harold McKim Graham, Harold John O'Neill.

#### Division II—Miss Gibson.

Promotion list to Senior Primer II—Willie Grop, Jack Beynon, Jack Lines, Sigvald Nielson, Kenneth Dalgarno, George Tripp, Malcolm McMillan, Andrew Smith, Frank Le Lievre, Bruce Shaw, Ivan Butcher, Louis Young, Wilhelmina Huxtable, Ernest Hetherington, Wilbert Duncan, Jack Devereux, Edward Bray.

#### Promotion list to Junior Primer II.

Irving Bickerdike, Willie Symons, Roderick Alexander, Willie Smith, Arthur Hepburn, Vincent Townsend, Delmer Battick, Harold Finland, Fred Doan, George O'Neill, Joe Mellor, Wolesley Beaven, Sanford Freeman, Dick Goodwin, Orrick Winter, Walter Clayton, Ronald Whittington, John Zarelli, Edward Campbell, Herbert Leslie, John Smith.

#### Honor Rolls.

Proficiency, Willie Grop; deportment, John Smith; regularity and punctuality, Vincent Townsend, Willie Smith.

#### GIRLS' CENTRAL

#### Division II.

Promoted to Entrance Class on result of term's work—Edith J. Wren, Ruth G. Fox, Olive Hayes, Madge Banner, Marjorie Jenkins, Margaret Renfrew.

On result of written exam—Muriel Sheldon, Mary Watson, Edna Grant, Orna Townsend, Muriel Anderson, Violet Hanson, Ethel Helmsken, Muriel Harte, Belle Hastie, Alice Drysdale, Victoria McGill, Dorothy Blankenbach, Maud Nason, Iren Mason, Della Fair, Ethel Hand, Marjorie Tait, Edna McNaughton.

#### Honor Rolls.

General proficiency, Edith J. Wren; deportment, Margaret Renfrew; regularity, Edna Grant, Victoria McGill, Daisy Thomson, Muriel Anderson, Marjorie Jenkins, all equal.

#### Division III—Honor Rolls.

General proficiency, Lotus Zefelda Griffith; deportment, Elizabeth Albhouse; regularity and punctuality, Emeretta Meredith Collings, Margaret Vivian Colbert, Amy Conyers, Margaret Edna Dack, Violet Maude Davies.

From Division IV to Division III—A. Keast.

Promotion on year's work—Winifred Maude Winterburn, Joyce Helen Mowatt, Laura Almet Ellis, Hazel Sexton, Gerda Sarah Richards, Marie Pauline Doan, Elizabeth Hope Barton, Beattie Greenwood, Dorothy Jean Hay, Marjory Florence.

On written exam—Evelyn Anna Dutch, Ada Martin McNash, Mildred McEachern, Gertrude Evelyn Smith, Helen Geraldine Kelly, Martha Vera Cocker, Edith Victoria Whitwell, Lilian Sarah Callow, Elsie Creedon, Winifred Salloway, Evangeline Maude Curry, Mary Daisy McInnis, Elizabeth Finland, Gertrude Lilian Brady, Marian, Grace Peddie, May Gertrude Bryant, Eleanor Marian Dalziel, Mabel Mary Dempsey, Laura Helen Lidston, Mary Winifred McMillan, Rosabel Crowther, Alice Mary Whitwell.

#### Division IV—Honor Rolls.

Proficiency, Winifred Maude Winterburn.

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## Campbell's SALE

Will Commence at 8.30 A. M. on  
Thursday, July 2nd.

When every garment in our magnificent aggregation of feminine finery will be tremendously reduced in price. Space forbids fulsome description. We give the reductions—you see the goods.

50 Very Handsomely Tailored Ladies' Cloth Costumes } HALF PRICE ALL Misses' Cloth Costumes Carefully Hand-Tailored } HALF PRICE

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We have a glorious selection for you, most fascinatingly trimmed with embroidery and lace insertion, absolutely the finest ever offered in Victoria.

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| All \$ 5.75. Special Price ..... | \$ 4.75 |
| All \$ 6.90. Special Price ..... | \$ 5.00 |
| All \$ 9.00. Special Price ..... | \$ 6.75 |
| All \$10.50. Special Price ..... | \$ 8.50 |
| All \$12.50. Special Price ..... | \$ 9.00 |
| All \$15.00. Special Price ..... | \$10.50 |
| All \$20.00. Special Price ..... | \$12.50 |
| All \$27.50. Special Price ..... | \$17.50 |

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BLACK SILK SHIRTWAIST SUIT, one only, new and ladylike. Regular \$16.50. SALE PRICE .....\$7.50  
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SILK SHIRTWAIST COSTUMES, two blue, one green, two black. Waists are daintily tucked and trimmed; skirts handsomely pleated. Regular \$25. SALE PRICE .....\$15  
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Here again we defy competition for quantity, quality and distinction in style, we know you cannot duplicate these colored wash dresses in British Columbia.

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| All \$ 6.90. Special Price ..... | \$4.75 |
| All \$ 7.50. Special Price ..... | \$5.00 |
| All \$ 8.25. Special Price ..... | \$5.50 |
| All \$ 9.00. Special Price ..... | \$6.00 |
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10 FULLY PLEATED TAFFETA SKIRTS, A VERY GREAT BARGAIN. REGULAR \$15 TO \$22. } Sale Price \$10

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| MERCERISED PANAMA, in blue, lemon and brown, regular \$4.75. Sale Price ..      | \$3.75 |
| RAJAH LINEN SKIRTS, in blue and brown pleated, regular \$7.50. Sale Price ..... | \$5.00 |
| WHITE WASH SKIRTS, duck and pique, regular \$1.90. Sale Price .....             | \$1.50 |
| WHITE LAWN SKIRTS, striped and pleated, regular \$2.50. Sale Price .....        | \$1.75 |
| WHITE DUCK and PIQUE SKIRTS, beautiful goods, regular \$2.50. Sale Price ..     | \$1.90 |
| WHITE LINEN and LAWN, pleated organdie, regular \$3.25. Sale Price .....        | \$2.25 |
| WHITE ORGANDIE EMBROIDERED SKIRTS, regular \$4.50. Sale Price .....             | \$3.25 |
| WHITE PIQUE, pleated and embroidered, regular \$5.00. Sale Price .....          | \$3.75 |
| WHITE LAWN, pleated and embroidered, regular \$7.50. Sale Price .....           | \$4.75 |
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## CANADA.

To-morrow the Dominion of Canada will be forty-one years of age. The birth of the young lady in the historic year 1867 was an occasion of deep travel to her Imperial parent. The statesmen who, in accordance with official requirements, were present at the interesting event, had serious doubts about the infant reaching years of maturity. Disorders developed almost immediately which appeared to justify the doubts of her god-fathers. But these proved merely infantile complaints. A lusty constitution speedily overcame them. Assimilating in rapid succession the provinces of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, British Columbia and Prince Edward Island, and finally the great territories of the Northwest, the future of Miss Canada was assured. Her cousin Jonathan may have been justified in assuming that the young lady, during the years of coquetish girlishhood, was inclined to look with some degree in favor upon his addresses. We all know that that gallant gentleman, with his starchy "plug" set at a captivating angle and his striped trousers strapped tightly down over his boots in a vain effort to hide his lean and hungry proportions, did make languishing advances to the young lady. No doubt she was flattered. But she estimated her cousin at his true worth and set him down as a mere mercenary who coveted her fair possessions more than he was enamored of her personal charms. In any case, Canada has chosen her career now. She has decided to remain a "daughter in her mother's house," but mistress in her own. And her cousin is magnanimous enough and sufficiently generous to admit that Miss Canada has chosen wisely and to wish her well.

After all forty-one years in Canada a span in the life of a nation. But she has merely stepped across the threshold of the doorway. Her career is before her. In common with all the rest of the world, she has but recently realized the magnitude of her possessions and resources. The region which but a few years ago was described, the description being accepted as accurate, as a narrow strip of territory north of the United States boundary line has expanded until it reaches an indefinite point in the north. It is rich almost beyond computation in agricultural, mineral, timber and fishery resources. It is an Imperial possession, the future home of an Imperial race, we trust.

## SALISBURY AND CLEVELAND.

"The evil that men do lives after them; the good is oft interred with their bones." It is somewhat singular that in the June number of Chambers's Journal an article should appear dealing with the grave of Cleveland's ambassador to the British government and the manner of its reception by Lord Salisbury, then Foreign Minister. Mr. Henry Leach, the author of the article in question, says Mr. Bayard was the American ambassador in London at the time. A perusal of the document stirred the heart of the ambassador with fear, because he realized that, couched as it was in menacing terms, it would hardly be delivered without endangering the relations of the two nations. Accepted in the spirit in which it was conceived and written, it meant war. Sadly Mr. Bayard made his way to the Foreign Office, saw Lord Salisbury, and sorely against his will began to read the message. He read but two or three lines when the Marquis called out imperatively, "Stop! Your Excellency need not read any more of the message." And Mr. Leach continues, "He did not, and was glad that the task was spared him. It is said that a copy of the message is still preserved in the Foreign Office, and that mark indicates the place where Mr. Bayard stopped reading." Thus the sagacity and forbearance of Lord Salisbury averted a war between the United States and Great Britain and saved Grover Cleveland from the consequences of one of the most deplorable mistakes ever made by a man apparently temporarily oblivious of the responsibilities of high office. The people of the United States regarded the action of the British Foreign Minister at the time as a terrible humiliation to Great Britain, but subsequent events, such as the eventual vindication of the British position and the relations at present obtaining between the United States and Venezuela, proved that Salisbury was right, and the world at large has since admitted the moral stature of the man who dared to do the right thing in the face of a temporary misunderstanding of his position. If Lord Salisbury had permitted Ambassador Bayard to complete the reading of that message and had answered it in terms of corresponding position, the one serious diplomatic mistake of Grover Cleveland might have entailed consequences beyond computation. The evil he might have done will be discussed long after any good he did do as an internal administrator has been forgotten.

A PONDEROUS POLITICAL MACHINE.

The political wheels of the United States are as ponderous as the mills of the gods. Ex-Secretary of War Taft has been nominated for the presidency, but it will be months before either he or his opponent—he will have but one real opponent, although there will be many candidates—shall be ground up and the political remains finally disposed of. Then, some more months after, there will be the imposing ceremony of inauguration—with the mother or the wife of some near female relative of the "inauguratee" taking a conspicuous part in the proceedings. We are not quite sure whether it is before or after these purely formal exhibitions that the president-elect chooses his cabinet, but he has a free hand in the matter. The all-powerful people have nothing whatever to say under conditions considered of fundamental importance under our system of government. The president may choose whom he pleases for his colleagues, except that he must abide by the terms of the unwritten law which requires that he shall surround himself with advisers of his own political faith. There are no objections to determine whether the people approve of the selections which have been made. The president may attempt to guide Congress in certain courses by messages and the prerogative of the veto, but generally the representatives of the people at large and the representatives of the state legislatures in the Senate seem to prefer to hew out a trail for themselves. The system as a whole seems complicated and cumbersome to us, accustomed as we are to the beautiful simplicity of responsible government. But responsive to public sentiment. But perhaps after all the fathers of the republic built wisely. The checks and balances of the constitution appear to prevent a naturally volatile people from doing things in gusts of temporary passion that they might regret when restored to their natural mind.

The Colonist speaks of the rapid development of scandals at Ottawa. Our contemporary assisted in the development of one scandal which is typical of most of the scandals which have been ventilated through the agency of the opposition under the leadership of the immaculate Foster. The Colonist's scandal resulted in Major Hodgins calling out the virtuous contemporary a liar. Then the Colonist in its wrath said the Major was a liar also. It is not for us to say whether Major Hodgins or the Colonist was in the right in the matter. We shall leave that delicate matter to the judgment of the public. But the scandal for which they were jointly responsible exploded in the hands of its wrangling parents.

It is announced already that President Roosevelt is going to spend part of his vacation, in imitation of another statesman, chopping. We do not know whether it is summer vacation or the long vacation following the expiration of the presidential term that is alluded to. If the latter, we shall be compelled to urge the immigration officials to guard well our borders. We are seriously considering the conservation of our forests at present. A sharp axe wielded by such a physical personality as we do not want to see in operation over here at all. We respectfully but firmly object to any such strenuous persons being turned loose in our forests. We can spare a few wolves and bear and bob cats, but our trees must be spared.

A French deputy draws attention to the depopulation peril, which, he says, is menacing the very existence of France, as a nation. Quoting figures, he showed that in the period from 1900 to 1905 the birth-rate for France had declined at the rate of 12,000 per annum, while for 1907 the births were 23,000 less than in 1906. He suggests, by way of remedy, the abolition of direct taxation in the case of fathers with large families, the spreading of a knowledge of infantile hygiene, and the furnishing of impoverished parents with a larger amount of state aid.

The Montreal Gazette thinks the Socialists will "not cut much figure" in politics in British Columbia in the future. Let the Gazette watch and it will see its Tory friend Premier McBride working with the Socialists in the future as he has co-operated with them in the past. He owes a great deal, even his political existence, to Comrade Hawthornthwaite, and is yet in the hands of that astute player upon the credulity of a misguided section of the people.

The president of the National Tax Association writes to say his concern will meet this year in Toronto. We are not interested in the matter at all. It is the secretary of an anti-tax association who wrote the case might be different. It is a curious development of our own times this constant search for excuses for the imposition of taxation. As if governments and municipalities were not sufficiently alert in the matter.

To-morrow, Dominion day, being a public holiday, the Times will not be published.

The cry of a wounded hare resembles that of a child in distress.

## COUNCIL GETS THROUGH EARLY

## LITTLE BUSINESS BEFORE THE BOARD

Date of Election Was Set for July 9th—Early Adjournment Taken.

Last night's meeting of the city council was an unusually brief one. The meeting lasted less than an hour and a half. There was not much business to be transacted, but what there was was put through with dispatch, as several members of the board were anxious to attend the consecration of the new St. Andrew's Masonic lodge. Among these was Mayor Hall, who came all ready dressed for the occasion, and for perhaps the first time in the city's history a Mayor presided at a council meeting clad in a dress suit.

Senator Macdonald wrote protesting against being charged \$250 for the destruction of caterpillars by men employed by the city. He said that at the time the city's men had supposed the caterpillars engaged on the work, that the city's men had not had his premises of the pest, and that he still had his own man engaged on the work. The caterpillars were referred to the sanitary inspector.

Wilson Bros. asked for a copy of the conditions which the city proposed attaching to the permission granted them to lay a track across Chatham street from the new C. P. R. terminals into their proposed new warehouse. The city solicitor has already sent them a copy of the conditions.

Major A. W. Currie reminded the council that the city's solicitor had formerly competed for at the B. C. Rifle Association's meets, had been won outright, and that, although a previous council had authorized the securing of another cup, the association had not yet received it. The cup will be provided.

Thomas W. Palmer, secretary of the S. P. C. A., acknowledged receipt of a grant of \$50 from the council.

The city solicitor advised that the representatives of the Daverns & Keating estate had withdrawn their suit against the city, paying the costs.

Messrs. Lees & Macdonald, house owners, presented a petition signed by ten prominent residents of the city, asking that they be allowed to locate their house at some place on the causeway, and to lay a small movable gangway from the new boathouse to the embankment. The petition set forth that the site of the present boathouse had recently been sold and would soon be required for other purposes, and that they were thus compelled to secure a new location. If the petition were granted, the road is to be widened, the matter was referred to the streets, bridges and sewers committee.

The city assessor reported that no petitions had been received against the proposed improvements on McPherson and Fullerton avenues, and on that portion of Langford street which is referred to as the "L-shaped" street.

The petition signed by five owners holding property valued at \$7,000 had been received against the proposed improvements on Langford street between Russell street and the first alley west of it, while there were only two property owners holding property valued at \$900 in favor of the undertaking. The work, therefore, could not proceed. Work on the portions of streets against which there were no petitions will be proceeded with.

The recommendation of the garbage committee that 50 feet of one-inch hose be purchased for washing down the sewers was adopted.

Chris. Spencer, James Forman, R. S. Day, D. E. Campbell and J. B. Martin were appointed the city's representatives on the Royal Jubilee hospital board. J. B. Martin, who was recommended by the Trades and Labor Council, replaces R. E. Brett, as the latter feels that he cannot spare time for the work this year.

A resolution providing for the undertaking of the following work was passed: Permanent sidewalk on the south side of Pandora avenue, between Cook and Chambers streets, and a boulevard on both sides of Pandora (including maintenance), between Quinlan and Broadway streets, with curb and gutters; as a work of local improvement.

The city engineer and the city assessor reported on the cost of the improvement of it against the properties benefited by the block paving of Gordon street, between Humboldt and Brighton streets. The total cost is placed at \$10,885, of which the city's share would be \$5,442.50 and the owners \$5,442.50.

Local improvement by-laws Nos. 2 and 3 were given their third reading and passed.

A recommendation from the fire wardens that the city engineer's department be asked to proceed with the making of surveys and taking levels for the proposed salt water high pressure system was adopted.

Mayor Hall's recommendation that nominations to fill the vacancy in Ward 2, caused by the unseating of John McKeown, be held at the city police court on Monday, July 9th, between 12 and 2 o'clock, then came on. Ald. McKeown's motion that if an election was necessary it be held on Thursday, July 19th, was defeated. It was found that it could not be put in his absence without his permission. Ald. McKeown was attending the Masonic convention, thither Ald. Henderson fled himself and brought back with him the necessary permission, and the resolution was passed.

The report of the streets, bridges and sewers committee was adopted as follows:

Re communication of George McCandless, desiring to know whether the city would be responsible for part of the cost of a stone wall proposed to be built in front of his residence on Queen's avenue. Recommended that Mr. McCandless be informed that the city cannot see its way to contribute any proportion of the cost for the construction of this wall.

Recommended that sewers be constructed on the following streets, viz.: Pandora avenue, estimated cost, \$2,500; Hulton street, southerly from Oak to Broadway, estimated cost, \$100; Pandegast street, between Vancouver street and Cook street, estimated cost, \$500.

Recommended that a plank sidewalk be laid down on Lewis street, west side, estimated cost, \$50.

Sewer on Oscar street, between Cook and 35th streets, estimated cost, \$1,000. The finance committee recommended the following payments: Current revenue, \$2,100.35; school purposes, \$5,775; permanent construction by-law, \$15,867.75; water works loan, by-law, \$5,544.85.

## POWDER HOUSE GUTTED.

Cobalt, Ont., June 20.—The plants of a dozen or more mines were destroyed by a bush fire that swept through here on Sunday. The Vermilion company lost their powder house.

## The Great July Clearance Sale

As the Spring and Summer Season has been a little backward we find ourselves with more goods than we should have at this time of year. Therefore this year's July Sale will offer more bargain inducements than usual, as we have got to do two months' business in one, and have got the prices accordingly. These are only a few of the bargains that we mention here. Sale starts Thursday morning, 8:30 a. m.

## Wonderful Bargains in the Mantle Department

\$14.50 to \$17.50 Suits for \$8.75

This is probably the best costume offer that we have ever made. REMEMBER THIS, that every one of these Suits is new this season, made up in the latest styles, including the "Merry Widow" semi-fitted, and single-breasted cut-away effects. These Suits are made of the newest cloths in the most wanted colors, and all the coats are lined throughout with silk. It would cost more than the price asked to have a Suit made as well as these are made, all being perfectly tailored. Regular prices \$14.50 to \$17.50.

July Sale Price, \$8.75

Handsome Costumes, \$40 to \$50, for \$22.50

Many of the Costumes in this lot are smart New York sample Suits. They are in all the newest colors and styles, covering a range from the very dressy effect to the plain man-tailored ideas. The coats are all silk lined and are very smartly finished with silk braid and stitching. The skirts are the new circular cut with wide bias fold. Regular prices \$40 to \$50.

July Sale Price, \$22.50

\$22.50 to \$35.00 Suits for \$14.50

Women's Costumes are all of the very latest styles, including the Merry Widow, Prince Chap, Prince Charming and plain tailored effects. The colors shown are brown, blue, grey and black, made up in fine French Panamas and Chiffon Finished Venetians. These Suits all have silk lined coats, and the newest cut circular skirts, with wide bias fold. Regular prices \$22.50 to \$35.00.

July Sale Price, \$14.50

Exclusive Model Costumes, \$75 to \$125, for \$45

These Costumes are the highest class styles that we carry. They are copies of exclusive French models; the Costumes these garments were copied from would sell for twice what our original price was on these Suits. Therefore it can be plainly seen what a bargain these are. They are made of the finest cloths, are elaborately trimmed and beautifully finished. The regular prices were \$75 to \$125.

July Sale Price, \$45.00

## Silk Shirt Waist Suits

Women's Silk Shirt Waist Suits, in blue, brown, champagne and black and white checks, made of good quality taffeta, also in natural color pongee. Blouses are made with clusters of small tucks with insertion between pleats, skirts circular cut with wide bias fold.

SILK SUITS, regular prices \$18.50 to \$25.00. July Sale Price \$11.50 to \$14.50. SILK SUITS, regular prices \$25.00 to \$35.00. July Sale Price \$14.50 to \$22.50. SILK SUITS, regular prices \$35.00 to \$50.00. July Sale Price \$22.50 to \$35.00.

## Women's Muslin Dresses

WOMEN'S LINGERIE DRESSES. Made of the finest white muslin, blouses deep, delicately trimmed with lace or embroidery, with deep yoke. Others with hand-embroidered fronts, skirts tucked and finished with deep flounce and trimmed to match blouse. This is one of the very best bargains offered. Regular prices \$12.75 to \$17.50. July Sale Price \$7.50 to \$11.50.

## Black Silk Coats

Our entire stock of Black Silk Coats will be put on sale. This includes all the newest styles, 3/4 length, loose and tight fitting, also the short-hip length in rich applique, with lace trimmings. Regular price \$25.00. July Sale Price \$15.00 to \$22.50. Regular price \$32.50. July Sale Price \$22.50 to \$35.00. Regular price \$35.00 and \$40.00. July Sale Price \$22.50 to \$37.50.

## Novelty Coats

WOMEN'S GREEN SHOT SILK COAT, 1-length, double box pleat back and front, with outside pocket roll collar, cuffs with braid finish. Regular price \$15.00. July Sale Price \$10.00 to \$12.50. WOMEN'S PONGEE COATS, 1 and 1 1/2 lengths, in loose and semi-fitted styles, with roll collar and cuffs, finished with silk braid, body silk lined. Regular prices \$25.00 to \$35.00. July Sale Price \$15.00 to \$22.50. WOMEN'S PONGEE COATS, in the new kimono style, very full and loose, handsomely trimmed with silk braid. This is one of the newest styles we are showing, and it is very dressy. Regular price \$25.00. July Sale Price \$15.00 to \$22.50.

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BROADCLOTHS, light evening shades, light grey, blue, rose, mauve, 54 inches wide, regular price 25c. July Sale Price 12 1/2c.

## Black Dress Goods

CANVAS CLOTH, fancy weave, 42 inches wide, regular price 50c. July Sale Price 25c. VENETIAN CLOTH, silk embroidered spot, 42 inches wide, regular price \$1.00. July Sale Price 50c.

BLACK CREPE DE CHINE, silk and wool, fine spots, regular price \$1.25. July Sale Price 75c. BLACK EOLIENNE, fancy dotted effect, 48 inches wide, regular price \$2.00. July Sale Price \$1.00.

## Cream Dress Goods

CREAM VOILE, 42 inches wide, regular prices 50c and 65c. July Sale Price 25c. CREAM WOOL TAFFETA, in fancy stripe, 42 inches wide, regular price 50c. July Sale Price 25c.

CREAM CREPE DE CHINE, silk finished, 42 inches wide, regular price 75c. July Sale Price 50c. CREAM EOLIENNE, very fine finish, 45 inches wide, regular price \$1.25. July Sale Price 75c.

## Novelty Dress Patterns

FINE CASHMERE SUIT LENGTHS, in good colorings, regular prices \$15.00, \$18.50, \$19.00, \$17.50 and \$20.00. July Sale Price \$10.00 to \$12.50. SILK SUIT LENGTHS, two-toned effects in dark colors, very finest quality of materials, regular price \$25.00. July Sale Price \$15.00 to \$22.50. FOURTEEN DRESS PATTERNS, in silk voiles, silk and wool eoliennes, and silk crepe de chine, in fancy spots and stripes, several different colors, suitable for afternoon and dinner gowns, regular prices \$15.00, \$17.50, \$22.50 and \$25.00. July Sale Price \$10.00 to \$12.50.

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At \$1.50 A big assortment at this price muslin blouses in lingerie style, muslin blouses in the tailored style, pique blouses tailored style with stuff collars and cuffs; a beautiful lot of waists. Regular prices \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50. July Sale Price \$1.50.

At \$2.50 Some of the best waists we had this season are included in this lot; nearly all are of the dainty muslin style, although a few are tailor-made. You will find some rare beauties among the lot. Regular prices \$4.75, \$5.50 and \$6.75. July Sale Price \$2.50.

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### WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, June 30—4 a. m.—Fine summer weather now prevails throughout British Columbia; the North Pacific and the Middle Western states. East of the Rockies, showery conditions have been general, with moderate temperatures.

Forecasts.  
For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Wednesday, Victoria and vicinity—Light or moderate winds, fair and warm to-night and Wednesday.

Lower Mainland—Light or moderate winds, fair and warm to-night and Wednesday.

### Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, 53; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, clear.  
New Westminster—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, 54; minimum, 52; wind, calm; weather, clear.  
Nanaimo—Wind, 4 miles N. W.; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, 54; minimum, 54; wind, calm; weather, clear.  
San Francisco—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, 50; minimum, 48; wind, 12 miles S. W.; weather, cloudy.  
Edmonton—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, 50; minimum, 50; wind, 8 miles W.; weather, part cloudy.

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—A delightful outing to take a trip by V. & S. railway and steamer. Iroquois next Sunday via Mayne and the picturesque Pender canal and Iroquois channel. Train leaves Victoria 9:45 a. m.

—Before going to business call at Ringshaw's, corner Yates and Broad, and have your breakfast, which is served on hygienic principles. Light, midday lunches, afternoon teas, and cold meats of all kinds are also served. We make a specialty of our home-cooked meats, veal and ham and steak pies.

—Great Bargains. Prices Sacrificed at our annual midsummer sale of dry-goods, commencing Thursday. Deep cuts on all lines. Robinson's cash store, 642 Yates street.

—20 Horses for Sale.—F. A. Thompson returned this morning with a carload of exceptions. The eastern horses, consisting of heavy draught, general purpose and road horses. They are all young, sound and broken.—257 North Park street, phone B1126; office phone, 1415.

—Beautiful new designs in wall paper are being shown at C. H. Tite & Co., 632 Yates St.

—The Times office is open every evening excepting Sunday for the transaction of business.

—An important piano sale is to be commenced on Thursday next, July 2nd by The Hicks & Lovick Piano Co., Limited. Victoria people without a piano will have an opportunity of buying one at a reduced rate.

—A United States patent was recently issued to Walter Thomas, manager of the Vancouver Gas Co., on an improved gas pressure gauge. This gauge is designed to show on a common dial the difference in pressure of gas or air from two different positions in a pipe or vessel, or from two sources of supply, and is a convenient improvement on what is known as "King's" pressure gauge. This patent was received through the agency of Rowland Brittain, patent attorney of Vancouver.

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## LOCAL CONSUMPTIVES SHOULD BE CARED FOR

Advice Given by Dr. Fagan at Meeting of Local Society.

Special attention was drawn by Dr. C. J. Fagan to the work of the committee appointed to look after local consumptives at the monthly meeting of the Victoria branch of the Anti-Tuberculosis Society, held in the city hall yesterday afternoon. The doctor urged the committee to more energetic action, and strongly advised them to get associated with local doctors and to obtain the assistance of Dr. Robertson, the local medical health officer. Dr. Fagan also submitted a report relative to the condition of patients there. Nine cases were on the lists from Victoria, eleven from Vancouver and seven from other parts of British Columbia. Last month six cases were discharged from the hospital, three as cured, two in a stationary condition or with the disease arrested, and one as hopeless. About forty-eight cases were reported on the waiting list.

Replying to a question as to whether consumption would increase in British Columbia, the doctor stated his opinion that with present day conditions of living this was altogether probable. He had been told by a gentleman from Newfoundland that the death rate had doubled in that colony during the last six years.

Mrs. Fagan made an appeal to the society for more active work, and called attention to the objects and aims of the association. The aims and objects of these societies were set out as: To study the interests of local consumptives; to interest local school authorities in the teaching of health matters, with special reference to consumption; to urge the expediency of municipal aid and to show the possible influence with local authorities for the enforcement of certain health laws, especially those against promiscuous spitting; to invite the co-operation of teachers and ministers of religion in the anti-tuberculosis movement; and to ask them, on Sunday, in each year, the subject of tuberculosis be referred to by ministers in addressing their various congregations.

In the absence of Mrs. Jenkins, president of the local society, Mrs. (Dr.) Fagan occupied the chair. Those present were: Dr. C. F. Fagan, Mrs. Hardie, Mrs. Grant, Mrs. M. P. Gordon, Mrs. Arthur, Mrs. Miss Bullen and Mrs. Munn.

The resignations of the presidency by Mrs. Jenkins and of the secretaryship by Mrs. Janion were accepted, and Mrs. Barnard and Mrs. Arthur Coles installed in the respective offices.

## GUIDE SOUGHT TO RECOVER DAMAGES

It Was Found That No Contract Had Been Entered Into.

Chief Justice Hunter yesterday heard the case of Little vs. Hanbury. It was commenced in the morning, but not concluded until the afternoon.

The charge was one of breach of contract laid by the plaintiff, who is a hunter and guide against the defendant, a resident of London, England.

According to the plaintiff Hanbury wired him in California asking for terms upon which he would accompany him on a hunting expedition. The terms were wired back to be \$5 a day. This was accepted and the plaintiff claimed that he thereupon gave up the position he had to join the party. He later received a message saying it was all off as other plans had been formed. The plaintiff claimed \$450 in view of the loss it was to him.

On the other hand the defendant denied that a contract was made, and therefore contended he was not liable. Thornton Fell appeared for the plaintiff and W. H. Langley for the defendant. The Chief Justice decided that there was no contract as there had been no acceptance communicated by the plaintiff. He accordingly dismissed the case.

## INSPECTING LOCAL OFFICES

B. C. WEBBER VISITS METEOROLOGICAL STATION

Important Change Being Made in the Prairie Centres.

Mr. B. C. Webber, assistant director of the Toronto observatory, is in Victoria for a few days checking over things and comparing instruments at the local weather office.

Mr. Webber has come to the west on business of special importance. It has long been felt by the department of marine and fisheries, which has charge of the meteorological service, that settlers and proposing settlers in the Northwest should be able to apprise themselves of local climatic conditions without having to send to Toronto for reports.

"Under the old system," said Mr. Webber in an interview with the Times reporter at the Empress today, "we had men stationed at different points throughout the west, who sent in their weather reports individually to the head office at Toronto, keeping no records for local use. The Hon. the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, Mr. Brodeur, realizing the inconvenience of this method as the population in the west went on increasing, decided to have men appointed in each province who would have charge of the service there and receive reports from various points in their territory. They would work up the results of all back years and keep them on record for applicants, so that proposing settlers would be able to accurately set up the climatic condition of any place they wished to settle in."

Mr. Webber has been sent to the west to make these appointments, and on his way out he appointed Mr. Harrison Young, an old Hudson's Bay Company factor, to the central weather-reporting station for Alberta, at Edmonton, and Mr. MacPherson to the head station for Saskatchewan, at Moose Jaw. The appointments of chiefs for Manitoba and Athabasca have not yet been made.

In referring to the British Columbia service, Mr. Webber spoke very highly of the services rendered by Mr. E. Baines Reid, who has charge of the local station, and his staff.

"The station at Victoria is, in many respects, the next in importance to the Toronto station. Storm centres originate upon the Pacific ocean, sweeping eastward, and upon the calculations made by Mr. Reid and his staff, the Toronto weather reports are largely based. We look upon Mr. Reid as a senior in the service. He has done good, conscientious work for the department."

Mr. Webber usually goes up to Dawson City on a tour of inspection when he comes out west, but this year he will have to return east without making his customary call. Mr. Napier DeLisle has, however, just gone over the stations on Vancouver Island, and only a few stations remain to be inspected on the mainland.

An important call will be made by Mr. Webber on his way back east. Six weeks ago, the observatory at Sulphur Mountain, Banff, was struck by lightning, and a number of the instruments, which cost upwards of \$1,000, were destroyed.

"The observatory at Banff was built ten years ago," said Mr. Webber, and this is the first time that lightning has visited it. It is 8,700 feet above sea-level, and generally speaking, out of the storm zone.

"We have some very fine instruments there, and some of them may have to be replaced from the Old Country. The wind-gauges, barographs, thermometers, etc., at this station, which is our post in the mountains, are run electrically in the office four miles away at the foot of the mountain.

"The instruments are often isolated for long periods," continued Mr. Webber, "as often it is impossible to reach them on account of the snow on the mountain."

Speaking of weather recording and prognostications, Mr. Webber observed that it was much more difficult to give accurate forecasts on the Pacific coast than in the eastern provinces, the reason for this being, that the storms originate so close at hand that it is difficult to get a fore-warning for more than a few hours ahead. In the east the probe can be calculated, generally speaking, quite accurately two or three days ahead.

Mr. Webber will remain a few days in Victoria. He will not stop at Vancouver on his way back.

## THE CROSS FUND.

The Times acknowledges the receipt of the following sums for the Cross relief fund:

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—The hon. secretary of the B. C. Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Thos. W. Palmer, will be absent from the city in July, August and September. All communication during that time should be addressed to the president, A. J. Dallan.

—The Times' office is open every evening excepting Sunday for the transaction of business.

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## J. B. A. A. CREWS OFF FOR THE REGATTA

Those Who Will Uphold the Honor of Local Club Leave To-night for Lake Washington Course

One hour after midnight to-night the sixteen oarsmen of the J. B. A. A. who are to take part in the N. P. A. A. O. regatta on Lake Washington on July 3rd and 4th, including the members of the big four crew who are once again after the Buchanan cup and the championship of the Northwest, which has heretofore been brought home to Victoria nine times out of twelve, will sail for Seattle, accompanied by a crowd of supporters and all the enthusiasm that can be mustered by the whole population of Victoria. The memory of past



V. GRAY.  
Bow in J. B. A. A.'s Junior Four.

achievements will go with them. The successes of five consecutive seasons from 1895 to 1899 and for four later consecutive wins in the years 1902-3-4 and 5, will be with the men to whom the honor of upholding Victoria's fame on the Lake Washington course has this year fallen, and who will wear the white and blue of the famous James Bay aggregation. Of the crew who are to do battle against the crews from Vancouver and Portland, three of the



R. HISCOCKS.  
Stroke for Junior Four J. B. A. A.

number represented Victoria last year, the fourth being for the first time in a senior international aggregation. The crew are as fit as a perfect preparation can make them, and upon arrival at Lake Washington will have two spins over the course on Thursday and Friday to keep them in fettle. Phil Austin, captain of the J. B. A. A. club, will be there; Dan O'Sullivan will be there, and who will not be there that can be there?

Of the chances Captain Austin talks confidently. "The boys are all as fit



C. FINLAYSON.  
In Junior Doubles J. B. A. A.

as fiddlers," he said to-day, "and they are out to win, of course, and if the Buchanan cup can be brought to Victoria again for the tenth time you may be sure it will be brought back. No



F. BAYLIS.  
Member of J. B. A. A.'s Big Four.

one can say beforehand what the result will be, as there are many things that go to make a race. Given good weather and no wind there is no reason why our boys should not bring the cup along on the return journey. The mile and a half course on Lake Washington is, however, apt to play tricks if the wind blows from a certain angle as it did last year. Last year it was certainly the limit and made a big handi-



K. T. HUGHES.  
Bow, Big Four J. B. A. A.

cap to the teams that were used to it. The boys are, however, going to win and will pull every inch of the mile and a half.

With the exception of one man the crew from Portland which will compete against the crews of Vancouver and Victoria is the same as that which won the Buchanan cup last year. The Vancouver crew, however, has but two of last year's men, while, as stated previously, Victoria has the same crew



W. H. JESSE.  
In Senior Doubles for J. B. A. A.

as last year with the exception of Monteth, who is in the crew in place of Jesse, who rowed last year. The big four crew for 1903 is W. W. Laing (stroke), F. Baylis, R. Monteth, and K. T. Hughes, now.

W. T. Andrews will look after the boys while they are away, having proceeded to Seattle at the end of last

week for the purpose of making final arrangements and providing quarters for them. The different crews will arrive in Seattle Wednesday morning, and the boats will be sent out to the lake the same day. The J. B. A. A. will, however, not row over the course until Thursday, when a trial spin will take place and a final pull will be made on the Friday afternoon. On Saturday afternoon the crews will do down to Lake Washington with the determination to win the Buchanan cup and if speed and endurance can effect the securing of the trophy, Victorians will



W. W. LAING.  
Stroke Big Four J. B. A. A.

once more see the familiar cup here again on the return of the crews.

Of the races in which they will compete, local authorities who know the strength of the various crews look to the Junior doubles, the senior doubles and the big four to come away winners.

The crews that are going across are as follows, together with the opponents against whom they will row:  
Junior Singles—J. B. A. A., J. Davidson; Portland, A. Allan; Vancouver, H. Sinclair.  
Junior Doubles—J. B. A. A., Clarke and Andrews; second crew, Jones and Finlayson; Vancouver, Sinclair and Simpson; Nelson, Pool and Nott; Portland, Allan and Connor.  
Junior Fours—J. B. A. A., R. Hiscocks (stroke), R. Strachan (3), T. O. McKay (2), V. K. Gray (bow); Vancouver, S. C. Sweeney (stroke), J. R. A. Moore (3), C. M. Stacey (2), Chaffey (bow); Portland, E. G. Gloss (stroke), J. G. Sterling (3), R. G. Tully (2), V. Dent (bow).

Senior Singles—Vancouver, C. Laing; Nelson, T. D. Des Brisay; Victoria, J. Donaldson (in the event of a finishing Junior singles); Portland, E. G. Gloss.  
Senior Doubles—J. B. A. A., D. T. Jones, W. H. Jesse; Vancouver, C. Laing, N. C. Sowers.  
Senior Fours—J. B. A. A., W. W. Laing (stroke), F. Baylis (3), R. Monteth (2), K. T. Hughes (bow); Vancouver, S. C. Sweeney (stroke), J. R. A. Moore (3), G. M. Stacey (2), Chaffey (bow); Portland, B. E. Loomis (stroke), Rex Conant (3), A. C. McMillen (2), A. Allen (bow).

**THE MAT.**  
**DR. ROLLER'S MATCH.**

To-morrow Dr. B. F. Roller, of Seattle, will be 22 years of age, and will try to win the world's wrestling championship against Frank Gotch upon his birthday.

"Roller will win for he is protected by the planets," says Earl Hoglander, a Seattle astrologer, who has cast a horoscope for Dr. Roller which leaves Gotch without the championship.  
Mr. Hoglander has discovered that at the birth of Roller the sun and the planets Mars and Venus were in conjunction in Cancer, which he declares go to show that Roller will become prominent in the world—but whether prominent as a winner or a loser of to-morrow night's bout the seer doesn't quite see, but takes a chance on calling Roller the winner.

The articles between the two men call for a splitting of the gate, 40 per cent to the winner and 40 per cent to the loser. Eddie Graney to be referee, and the bout to be wrestled on a stretched mat without ropes. No one but wrestlers can commit a foul, and if interfered with by seconds they will be ordered off the stage and ejected. If the men get off the mat they are to be ordered to return to the same holds in the centre.

The biggest crowd that ever saw a wrestling contest in Seattle will be at the First avenue vaudeville house to-morrow night.

**LACROSSE.**  
**CANADA'S OLYMPIC TEAM.**

The Canadian Olympic lacrosse team will not be completed until the New Westminster team goes east to play the Shamrocks for the Minto cup. The committee has a couple of new players in view, but it is understood that at least three of the team will be chosen from the ranks of the western cup chasers, and until he has seen them perform, Ald. Foran will make no selection. Fidelity of New Westminster is to play defence, and a couple of other British Columbia players, presumably Tom Gifford and George Rennie, will probably catch places on the defence.

Ald. Foran of Ottawa has been in communication with a former member of the Toronto lacrosse team whose identity he has not divulged, and the latter is also likely to go. The name of Billy Strachan of Montreal has been submitted to the committee, and will be dealt with in a day or two. It is said that Strachan's chances of catching a place are good, as he was regarded as one of the best defence men in the N. L. U. when he played for the Montreal club.

So far, those chosen for the Olympic team include Whit Lailey, Toronto; Tommy Gorman, Ottawa; Johnny Broderick, Cornwall; Percy, New Westminster; Henry Hoobler, Paddy Brennan, Gus Dillon, Clarry McKerrrow and Ernie Hamilton, Montreal.

**LEAVING FOR VANCOUVER.**

To-night the Victoria intermediate team will leave for Vancouver, where they will play the Vancouver team. On the 11th July Victoria and Maple Leafs will be matched against one another at Vancouver, and a return match will take place at the Royal Athletic grounds on the 18th July.

**CRICKET.**  
**TO-MORROW'S GAME.**

To-morrow two strong elevens, representing the Garrison and Albion Clubs will be matched at the Garrison grounds. A close struggle is anticipated and the men from the Garrison declare they will reverse the result of Saturday's match when they were beaten by forty-six runs.

The Garrison team will be: Robertson, Askey, Warder (capt.), Thomas, Doyle, Ingle, Ballaley, Needham, Brice, Baker, De Courcy.

The Albion will play the Victoria Club at the Royal Jubilee hospital grounds on Saturday.

To-morrow the Victoria eleven will be playing in Vancouver against the players of the Terminal City and on the 4th July the Albions will take eleven strong players over to try conclusions with the same team.

**MISCELLANEOUS.**  
**NEW RECORD MADE.**

One thousand two hundred and eighty-four yards per minute is a bit better than local automobiles. Advice from Washington tell of the new holding record made on Friday last when seventy pigeons of the Washington Federation of Pigeon Fanciers started from Napames, Indiana for Washington, a distance of 508 miles, which was covered in 693 minutes, making the new record as above, 1,284 yards per minute.

## LOCAL TEAM TO MEET BALLARD

WILLE'S WONDERS WILL PLAY STRONG NINE

Important Match Arranged for Oak Bay Ground To-morrow.

To-morrow's main event in the sporting line will be the ball game between the Ballard and the Victoria teams at Oak Bay park. The visitors are one of the best nines in the northwest, composed mainly of players who have had experience on league teams.

In their games so far this season they have shown their strength by holding down the best teams in their class. This team has been booked especially for Dominion day as they were considered by the local management to be the best team on the Sound. The home team is in the very best of form and should be able to give the Ballard bunch a hard game.

By winning against all the teams that have come along during the past six weeks the Victoria nine has established quite a reputation on the Sound and the managers of the teams that have played here all pick Ballard as the team that will put a stop to the winning stream of the local players.

If Victoria beats Ballard to-morrow they can practically claim being the champions in their class. For Ballard, Woodworth and Winchell will be the battery, and for Victoria, Surplice and Robertson. The line-up of the teams is as follows:

| Ballard    | Position     | Victoria  |
|------------|--------------|-----------|
| Woodworth  | Pitcher      | Surplice  |
| Winchell   | Catcher      | Robertson |
| Fitzgerald | 1st Base     | Russ      |
| Helms      | 2nd Base     | Plummer   |
| Groves     | Shortstop    | McQuade   |
| Keppeler   | 3rd Base     | Rithet    |
| Justus     | Right Field  | McConnell |
| Clay       | Centre Field | Blaney    |
|            | Left Field   | Wattelett |

As the game will no doubt be one of the best of the season there should be a banner crowd out to see the contest. The game will be called at 3 o'clock.

The tramway company promise an extra good car service so there will be no delay in getting back to town after the game.

**Games Ahead.**

The Victoria nine go to Port Angeles on Saturday and a big crowd of Victorians are going over with the local boys.

Saturday week the boys will go up against the nine from Bellingham at Oak Bay and good ball is once more assured.

**Junior Game.**

At Beacon Hill park last night the Oak Bay Juniors got ahead of the Capital Junior ball team with a score of 5 to 3. Sam Bowers refereed the game. McDonald, of Oak Bay, won seven men by stealing play and the success resulted in a large measure to his efforts. The game was close despite the score and was anybody's game until the finish of the eighth inning, when it was called on account of darkness.

**COW TESTING.**

Some recent results of monthly tests in associations organized by the staff of the dairy and cold storage commissioner are:

May 10th, Victoria, B. C., 43 cows averaged 708 lbs. milk, 4.2 test, 30.2 lbs. fat.  
May 12th, Milton, Ont., 97 cows averaged 548 lbs. milk, 3.6 test, 19.9 lbs. fat.  
May 15th, Dixville, Que., 40 cows averaged 451 lbs. milk, 4.3 test, 19.2 lbs. fat.

One of the best individual yields yet to hand throws these "overage yields" very much in the shade. A seven-year-old cow in the association at Inniskilling, Ont., that calved 25th March, gave in the 30 days of April no less than 1,210 lbs. of milk, testing 3.3, or 63 lbs. of butter fat, says the department in report. If only one cow has to be housed, fed and milked, in place of three, there is an immense saving of labor and material. Look to the individual, not the average yield. The work of these cow-testing associations is helping farmers to detect the poor cows; it is also proving useful in securing better treatment for good cows, so that more milk from fewer animals can be obtained. There are now over 70 associations in Canada.

## LADIES TAKE KINDLY TO ROWING SHELLS

Another Crew Will Be Formed to Compete in Races.

Following on the success of the ladies' four at the J. B. A. A. regatta on Saturday, the desire to achieve prominence in the aquatic world has entered the hearts of an additional four members of the fair sex, with the result that as soon as the J. B. A. A. crews return from the Seattle regatta three ladies' fours will be seen at practice on the waters of James Bay. The desire to become expert in the healthy sport is said to be spreading among the girls and rumors are afoot that there are already more maidens offering to fill the shells than can be accommodated. The girls will be seen again at the end of July when there will be at least three crews on the water.

On Saturday Miss Walker's crew put up a highly creditable performance and won a victory under conditions that would have stopped many men from pulling to the starting post. At 11.45 on Saturday morning Miss Walker was at home on a sick bed. She, however, insisted on being at her oar and at noon went down to the J. B. A. A. boat house and got-busy and remained there till the signal to take her crew on the water was given. Another member of the winning crew had the misfortune to row the race with a badly wounded finger, which had during the day become jammed in a tram car door, with the result that when she took her oar she did so with a severely lacerated hand. The two crews throughout the three weeks they were training never missed a morning and were prompt to time every day at 7.30 a. m.

The J. B. A. A. are working towards fostering the sport among the girls with a view to sending a crew to Seattle next year for an international race. The Seattle people have on Lake Washington a ladies' eight which is becoming prominent, and the club has this year ordered a new eight-oared racing craft to be built. Victoria girls will, therefore, have something in view for their training and although it is unlikely that an eight will be established here, there will, however, from the fours that are offering, be every opportunity to put on a clinking ladies' four that can compete with credit against all comers on Lake Washington next year.

**THE GOLD PRODUCTION.**

One of the mighty influences that brought about the great expansion of the past ten years has been the enormous production of gold amounting to nearly \$2,000,000,000, in ten years, says the Canadian Trade Review. It is upon the continuance of this immense gold production that many are relying for quick recovery from the panic of 1907, a panic that was not due to any loss in producing power or to any failure of the crops, but, in large part, to the excess of luxury and expenditure resulting from the fever of expansion and speculation produced by the gold output.

Without giving an exaggerated importance to the effect of the big gold production, either as regards the past or as regards the future, it would be foolish not to recognize that it is at least one of the great factors in the situation. In the past ten years nearly one-fourth, or, to be more precise, over 22 per cent, of the entire world's production of gold has gone into the big European banks. The enormous growth of the great reservoirs of gold is one of the most astonishing developments of the present day finance. In ten years the European banks have gained \$663,200,475 in gold, a sum so enormous as to stagger belief.

Yet in the same time the gold in circulation in the United States has increased almost the same amount, the gain being \$645,240,884. Thus considerably over 40 per cent, of all the gold produced in the past ten years is accounted for by these gains in the United States and in the European banks. In every year except two there has been an annual increase in the gold holdings of the European banks. During the past year they have gained over \$122,000,000, as against \$84,000,000 in the preceding year.

It is a remarkable fact that this country has gained in ten years as much gold as all of the big European banks put together. But this American gain in gold, unlike the European gain, has not been concentrated in the banks to the same extent as abroad. It is not, therefore, as effective for financial power. If there were some financial method established by which the American holdings of gold could be put in a great reservoir like the treasury or a central bank, that would give the United States immediate and probably permanent pre-eminence, politically and financially, in the world. The national and state banks of the United States have indeed made large gains in gold holdings in the past few years, and they hold now \$223,000,000, or over \$250,000,000 more than they did in 1900. While there is, in addition, in the treasury as a part of its assets \$212,000,000, which may, in a measure, be considered as a part of the banking reserves of the country.

The gold production is still increasing. During the first four months of this year the output of the Transvaal was much larger in each of the months than in the corresponding time of 1907. But this enormous output of gold cannot go on forever. Already it may be said that the gold production is apexing. It is probable that the Transvaal output will continue to increase for three years and perhaps five, but then a falling off, in the nature of things, must be expected. The Alaska supply has not yet been fully developed, but it is scarcely possible that the increase in the Alaska output will make up for the decrease in the Transvaal. This is the opinion of the leading mining authorities of the world. While, therefore, we can look forward with confidence to three or four years of continuing increase in gold production, we must keep steadily in view the fact that the world will soon face a declining supply.

—\$1.00 to VANCOUVER by fast S. S. CHIEPEWA sail, except Thursday at 4:30 p. m.



## You Can't Stop Progress!

Old things and old ways are good enough for some people. Innovations are viewed with some reluctance. Steam railways had their opponents, and in later days the electric street cars were condemned by many. A new weaving machine in England caused riots. French merino nearly ruined the English makers of alpaca, who chiefly clung to old ideas.

Semi-ready Tailoring is different from custom tailoring. It's an innovation—a departure from an established custom of ordering a Suit of Clothes from a web of cloth, waiting a week, trying-on, waiting another week—and then letting the tailor do the waiting for months for his pay.

You pay for a Semi-ready suit when you select it. It's delivered in two hours. If you don't like it you get your money back.

That is simple, straight and satisfactory business.

Suitability to your individual taste is forejudged through the suit or overcoat being tried on. In paying cash you evade paying any portion of what another customer did not pay!

Part of the saving in buying Semi-ready tailored Clothes is in the cash selling system.

Another portion of the saving is in the scientific division of labor where 400 tailors can make 1600 complete suits every week. The "money back" promise gives confidence to the man who may be timid or reluctant about believing in that which has revolutionized the system of tailoring fine garments that a gentleman will wear.

An English Worsteds Suit at \$25 that no Custom Tailor can match for \$35—or your money is returned without question. A Two Piece Summer Suit at \$15 or \$18 or \$20.

## Semi-ready Tailoring

**B. WILLIAMS & CO.**  
68-70 Yates Street

**THE OLDEST PARROT.**  
What is claimed to have been the oldest parrot in the world has just died in Chicago. It had been handed down in the same family for over 30 years, its last owner being a Mrs. Campbell. "M. Campbell, I want you," was repeatedly called out by it during its last day's sickness. Finally, it remarked, "Well, this is where I got off," and soon after it fell over on its back and died.

The largest hotel in the world is being built at Berlin. It will accommodate 2,000 visitors, and will have sixty-six billiard rooms.

**A Story In Chapters**  
Furnace properly and carefully installed.

With great ease water is placed in water pan, drafts opened and coal fire started. Fire soon burns up brightly, drafts are closed and check-draft opened. Immediately heat-power begins to penetrate dome and radiator surrounding dome. The incoming cold air immediately receives the energy of this heat-power, and by natural law ascends up the hot-air pipes, thence to rooms. No gas escapes into cellar or rooms because there is an automatic gas damper providing for its escape up the chimney.

In the morning a gentle rocking of the lever removes all ashes from grates. No dust in operator's face, for he first opened damper into dust-pipe leading from ash-pit, then direct draft at smoke-pipe entrance, and all dust passed up dust-pipe to dome, then out chimney.

No need to shovel any ashes away. All nicely settled in ash-pan ready to be quickly and easily removed from pit. On coming upstairs operator finds that he requires no whisking off, and his wife don't scold him for "making everything white."

Operator is delighted. When asked the name of his furnace, he proudly said,

**Sunshine**  
SEND FOR BOOKLET.  
**McCLARY'S**  
London, Toronto, Montreal, Winnipeg, Vancouver, St. John, N.B., Hamilton, Calgary.



# Henry Young & Co.'s Great Midsummer Sale

## Commences 8.30 Thursday Morning

An important event that many Victorians look forward to. This 1908 July Sale is of colossal growth; all past qualities, quantities and prices eclipsed. A sale which no economical woman can afford to miss. To many, the Whitewear is one of the most interesting features. The real Whitewear Season is here, and this the richest opportunity to buy the daintiest kind—gentlewomen's lingerie—away below the usual price. Not only Whitewear, but every department is fairly bubbling over with tempting things at tempting figures—offered at wholesale cost and "below" wholesale cost.

### Whitewear

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|---|--------|
| CORSET COVERS, 60c, 65c, 75c, 85c, going for, ea. | 40c    |
| CORSET COVERS, regular \$1. Sale.                 | 65c    |
| CORSET COVERS, Regular \$1.40. Sale price.        | \$1.00 |
| CORSET COVERS, Regular \$1.65. Sale price.        | \$1.25 |
| CORSET COVERS, Regular \$1.85. Sale price.        | \$1.35 |
| LADIES' DRAWERS, Regular 75c. Sale price.         | 50c    |
| LADIES' DRAWERS, reg. 60c. Sale price.            | 45c    |
| LADIES' DRAWERS, Regular 85c. Sale price.         | 60c    |
| LADIES' DRAWERS, Regular \$1.50. Sale price.      | \$1.15 |
| LADIES' DRAWERS, Regular \$1.40. Sale price.      | \$1.00 |
| LADIES' NIGHT DRESSES, Regular \$2.35. Sale.      | \$1.75 |
| LADIES' NIGHT DRESSES, Reg. \$1.10. Sale.         | 85c    |
| LADIES' NIGHT DRESSES, Reg. \$1.15. Sale.         | 80c    |
| LADIES' NIGHT DRESSES, Reg. \$1.25. Sale.         | 90c    |
| LADIES' NIGHT DRESSES, Reg. \$1.50. Sale.         | \$1.10 |
| LADIES' NIGHT DRESSES, Reg. \$1.65. Sale.         | \$1.35 |
| LADIES' NIGHT DRESSES, Reg. \$3.25. Sale.         | \$2.65 |
| LADIES' WHITE SKIRTS, Reg. 85c. Sale.             | 60c    |
| LADIES' WHITE SKIRTS, Reg. \$1.00. Sale.          | 65c    |
| LADIES' WHITE SKIRTS, Reg. \$1.25. Sale.          | 90c    |
| LADIES' WHITE SKIRTS, Reg. \$1.50. Sale.          | \$1.15 |
| LADIES' WHITE SKIRTS, Reg. \$1.75. Sale.          | \$1.40 |
| LADIES' WHITE SKIRTS, Reg. \$2.25. Sale.          | \$1.65 |
| LADIES' WHITE SKIRTS, Reg. \$2.75. Sale.          | \$1.90 |

### Lot of Sample Skirts Marked Half Price

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| CHILDREN'S WHITE COTTON DRAWERS, all sizes, marked to, per pair | 25c |
| CHILDREN'S NIGHT GOWNS, Regular \$1.00. Sale                    | 75c |

### Ladies' Embroidered Collars

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|---|-----|
| LADIES' EMBROIDERED STOCKS, LADIES' FANCY CHIFFON COLLARS, LADIES' WASH BELTS—ALL TREMENDOUSLY REDUCED. |     |
| CHILDREN'S BUSTER BROWN BELTS—Regular 30c. Sale price   | 20c |
| Regular 40c. Sale price   | 25c |
| LADIES' LEATHER BELTS—Regular 50c. Sale price   | 35c |
| Regular 75c. Sale price   | 50c |
| Regular \$1.00. Sale price  | 85c |
| Regular \$1.25. Sale price  | 75c |

### Skirts

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| Ladies' Black and Colored Serge, Homespun and Venetian Marked Down to Half Price. |         |
| LADIES' BLACK VOILE SKIRTS, Regular \$11.50. Sale                                 | \$7.50  |
| LADIES' BLACK VOILE SKIRTS, Regular \$12.50. Sale                                 | \$7.50  |
| LADIES' BLACK VOILE SKIRTS, Regular \$16.25. Sale                                 | \$10.50 |
| LADIES' BLACK VOILE SKIRTS, Regular \$16.75. Sale                                 | \$10.75 |
| LADIES' BLACK VOILE SKIRTS, Regular \$17.25. Sale                                 | \$11.75 |
| LADIES' BLACK VOILE SKIRTS, Regular \$16.25. Sale                                 | \$10.75 |
| LADIES' BLACK PANAMA SKIRTS, Regular \$11.50. Sale                                | \$6.75  |
| LADIES' BLACK PANAMA SKIRTS, Regular \$17.25. Sale                                | \$11.75 |
| LADIES' BLACK PANAMA SKIRTS, Regular \$14.00. Sale                                | \$8.00  |
| LADIES' COLORED PANAMA SKIRTS, Regular \$12.50. Sale                              | \$7.50  |
| LADIES' COLORED PANAMA SKIRTS, Regular \$8.75. Sale                               | \$6.00  |
| LADIES' EMPRESS CLOTH SKIRTS—Black, regular \$11.00, for                          | \$7.00  |
| Black and navy, regular \$11.50, for  | \$7.25  |
| Navy, regular \$10.25, for  | \$6.00  |
| LADIES' PANAMA SKIRTS—Black and navy, regular \$7.00, for                         | \$4.75  |
| Black and navy, regular \$8.00, for   | \$5.25  |
| Black, regular \$8.75, for  | \$5.75  |
| LADIES' EMPRESS CLOTH SKIRTS—Brown, regular \$9.25. Sale                          | \$6.00  |
| Brown, regular \$8.00. Sale   | \$5.25  |
| Navy, regular \$9.25. Sale  | \$6.00  |
| Navy, regular \$9.50. Sale  | \$6.00  |
| Navy, regular \$8.00. Sale  | \$5.25  |
| Black, regular \$8.00. Sale   | \$5.25  |

### Ladies' Underskirts

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|---|--------|
| BLACK ITALIAN CLOTH—Fitted and tucked, regular \$2.50. Sale     | \$1.50 |
| Black Sateen, accordion pleats and frills, regular \$3.25. Sale | \$1.85 |
| Heatherbloom, black, navy, grey and green, regular \$5.75. Sale | \$3.50 |
| Heatherbloom, black, regular \$2.25. Sale                       | \$1.15 |
| Black Duchess Sateen, regular \$5.00. Sale                      | \$3.00 |
| Black Sateen, regular \$1.50. Sale                              | \$1.00 |
| Black Sateen, regular \$1.00. Sale                              | 50c    |

### Ladies' Embroidered Linen Costumes

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| Exclusive Designs, One Only in Pattern. |         |
| Regular \$6.50. Sale                    | \$3.75  |
| Regular \$12.50. Sale                   | \$10.50 |
| Regular \$32.50. Sale                   | \$15.75 |
| Regular \$36.50. Sale                   | \$17.50 |

### Em'd Linen and Lawn Waist Lengths

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|---|--------|
| Regular \$2.75. Sale  | \$1.50 |
| Regular \$3.75. Sale  | \$1.90 |
| Regular \$4.00. Sale  | \$2.00 |
| Regular \$7.00. Sale  | \$4.00 |
| Regular \$7.25. Sale  | \$4.00 |
| Regular \$8.75. Sale  | \$4.50 |
| BOYS' WOOLLEN JERSEYS, in navy and cardinal—Regular 75c. Sale | 55c    |
| Regular 85c. Sale   | 60c    |
| Regular \$1.00 for  | 65c    |
| Regular \$1.25 for  | 75c    |
| Regular \$1.35 for  | 85c    |
| Regular \$1.60 for  | \$1.25 |

### Curtain Department

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| FANCY SWISS CURTAIN MUSLINS—Regular 20c for   | 15c     |
| Regular 40c for   | 30c     |
| MADRAS MUSLINS, PLAIN BORDERS—Ecu, regular 30c for                                      | 20c     |
| Ecu, regular 40c for  | 25c     |
| White and yellow, regular 45c for   | 30c     |
| White, regular 40c for  | 25c     |
| Cream and green, regular 60c for  | 45c     |
| Green and red, regular 65c for  | 45c     |
| Cream and red, regular 75c for  | 50c     |
| Cream and blue, regular 75c for   | 50c     |
| Cream and green, regular 75c for  | 50c     |
| Green and red, regular 80c for  | 60c     |
| WHITE TASSELLED MUSLIN, harness spot, regular 30c for                                   | 20c     |
| SINGLE TASSELLED BROCHE MUSLINS—White, regular 35c for                                  | 22 1/2c |
| Ecu, green, yellow and red, regular 40c and 45c for                                     | 30c     |
| Ecu, regular 55c for  | 40c     |
| Cream and blue, yellow, green, cream and green, regular 60c for                         | 45c     |
| Green and yellow, cream and blue, yellow, cream and red, green and red, regular 75c for | 55c     |

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| DOUBLE TASSELLED FANCY MADRAS—White and ecru, regular 40c for            | 30c     |
| Cream and blue, cream and gold, cream and green, regular 50c for         | 37 1/2c |
| Ecu, regular 55c for   | 40c     |
| Yellow and red, green, yellow and blue, regular 75c for                  | 50c     |
| Green and red, red and green, regular 80c for                            | 60c     |
| WHITE SASH MUSLINS, WITH FRILLED LOOP—Ready for use, regular 40c for     | 30c     |
| Ready for use, regular 45c for   | 32 1/2c |
| FANCY FRILLED MUSLINS, regular 30c for                                   | 17 1/2c |
| FANCY FRILLED MUSLINS, regular 45c for                                   | 30c     |
| NOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS—2 1/2 yards long, regular 65c. Sale price, pair | 40c     |
| 3 yards long, regular \$1. Sale price, pair                              | 75c     |
| 3 1/2 yards long, regular \$1.50. Sale price, pair                       | \$1.10  |
| 3 1/2 yards long, regular \$1.65. Sale price, pair                       | \$1.35  |
| 3 1/2 yards long, regular \$1.75. Sale price, pair                       | \$1.40  |
| 3 1/2 yards long, regular \$2.25. Sale price, pair                       | \$1.70  |
| 3 1/2 yards long, regular \$3.00. Sale price, pair                       | \$2.25  |
| 3 1/2 yards long, regular \$3.50. Sale price, pair                       | \$2.65  |
| 3 1/2 yards long, regular \$4.25. Sale price, pair                       | \$3.65  |
| 3 1/2 yards long, regular \$4.35. Sale price, pair                       | \$3.70  |
| 3 1/2 yards long, regular \$4.75. Sale price, pair                       | \$3.90  |
| 3 1/2 yards long, regular \$4.75. Sale price, pair                       | \$3.95  |
| 3 1/2 yards long, regular \$5.00. Sale price, pair                       | \$4.00  |
| 3 1/2 yards long, regular \$5.50. Sale price, pair                       | \$4.25  |

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| FINE SWISS CURTAINS—White, regular \$8.00. Sale price, pair   | \$4.00  |
| White, regular \$7.75. Sale price, pair   | \$3.90  |
| White, regular \$6.75. Sale price, pair   | \$3.50  |
| White, regular \$8.50. Sale price, pair   | \$5.00  |
| White, regular \$12. Sale price, pair   | \$6.50  |
| Ecu, regular \$8.50. Sale price, pair   | \$5.00  |
| White and Ecu, regular \$5.50. Sale price, pair   | \$3.25  |
| Ecu, regular \$12.50. Sale price, pair  | \$7.00  |
| Ecu, regular \$9.00. Sale price, pair   | \$5.00  |
| HEMMED ROBINET CURTAINS, regular \$6.50. Sale price, pair   | \$3.25  |
| BONNE FEMME CURTAINS, for doors, regular \$1.40 and \$1.35. Sale price, pair  | 75c     |
| SILK LINES, a light weight material for draperies and curtains. All shades, in plain and floral designs. Special sale price, per yard | 15c     |
| CRETONNES, red with green, brown with green, gold with green, regular 20c. Sale price, per yard                                       | 12 1/2c |
| PLYMOUTH DENIMS, brown, green and red, regular 25c. Sale price, per yard  | 15c     |
| HUNGARIAN CLOTH, in red, blue, brown and green, regular 50c. Sale price, per yard   | 35c     |
| ART DENIMS, in green, brown and red, regular 40c. Sale price, per yard  | 25c     |
| DUNDEE BURLAP, in green and red, regular 30c. Sale price, per yard  | 17 1/2c |
| ART SATEENS, in fancy floral designs, regular 20c. Sale price, per yard   | 12 1/2c |
| ART SATEENS, in fancy floral designs, regular 25c. Sale price, per yard   | 15c     |

### IMMENSE REDUCTIONS IN LADIES' AND MEN'S UMBRELLAS AND LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S PARASOLS.

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| SILK SCARFS—Regular price \$4.50. Sale price  | \$1.50 |
| Regular price \$2.00. Sale price  | \$1.00 |
| Regular price \$3.00. Sale price  | \$1.65 |
| Regular price \$4.00. Sale price  | \$2.25 |
| Regular price \$5.50. Sale price  | \$3.00 |
| LADIES' EMBROIDERED TURNOVER COLLARS—Regular 35c each. Sale price, each             | 20c    |
| Regular 50c. each. Sale price, each   | 30c    |
| Regular 75c. each. Sale price, each   | 45c    |
| LADIES' EMBROIDERED LINEN COLLAR AND CUFF SETS—Regular 35c set. Sale price, per set | 20c    |
| Regular 75c set. Sale price, per set  | 45c    |
| Regular \$1.25 set. Sale price, per set   | 75c    |
| Regular \$1.40 set. Sale price, per set   | 85c    |
| Regular \$1.50 set. Sale price, per set   | 90c    |
| LINENETTE AND SILESIA LININGS, regular 15c for                                      | 5c     |
| FANCY PRINTED FOULARD SILKS, regular 65c. for                                       | 25c    |
| FANCY DRESDEN DESIGNS, reg. \$1.25, for   | 40c    |

Don't fail to look over the Remnant Counter. All Dress Goods Remnants Greatly Reduced.

### White Washing Skirts

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| TRIMMED EMBROIDERY AND INSERTION—Pique, regular \$2.35. Sale | \$1.90 |
| Pique, regular \$2.75. Sale                                  | \$1.75 |
| Duck, regular \$3.35. Sale                                   | \$2.25 |
| Duck, regular \$3.40. Sale                                   | \$2.25 |

### Underwear

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|---|-----|
| CHILDREN'S COTTON VESTS, regular 20c and 25c. Sale, 2 for | 25c |
| LADIES' COTTON VESTS, regular 15c and 20c. Sale 2 for     | 25c |
| LADIES' COTTON VESTS, fancy tops, regular 35c. Sale       | 25c |
| LADIES' SWISS VESTS, hand crochet tops, regular 40c. Sale | 25c |
| LADIES' SWISS VESTS, regular 75c. Sale                    | 45c |

### Millinery Department

Trimmed Hats, Untrimmed Hats, All Marked Down to July Prices.

### Dress Muslins

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| FANCY FIGURED AND SPOTTED, regular 30c per yard. Sale price        | 15c |
| FANCY FLORAL DESIGN DIMITIES, regular 25c per yard, for            | 15c |
| SATIN STRIPED, FLOWERED DESIGNS, regular 50c yard. Sale price      | 15c |
| WHITE FANCY BRILLIANTS, regularly sold at 25c per yard. Sale price | 15c |

### Housekeeping Bargains

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| SHEETS, heavy English-Wigan, hemmed ready for use, size 72 x 90 inches. Special sale, pair | \$2.00  |
| HEAVY ENGLISH SHEETING, 2 1/2 yards wide. Regular 55c. Sale                                | 40c     |
| HEAVY ENGLISH SHEETING, 2 1/2 yards wide. Regular 65c. Sale                                | 50c     |
| PILLOW CASES, 44 x 33 inch. Sale, each   | 20c     |
| FLANNELETTE SHEETING, 2 yards wide, for campers' use. Regular 65c. Sale                    | 40c     |
| MARCELLA QUILTS, cut size, Reg. 75c. Sale  | 40c     |
| MARCELLA QUILTS, single bed size. Regular \$1.50. Sale                                     | \$1.20  |
| MARCELLA QUILTS, single bed size. Regular \$1.65. Sale                                     | \$1.25  |
| MARCELLA QUILTS, single bed size. Regular \$1.75. Sale                                     | \$1.35  |
| MARCELLA QUILTS, Full Bed size. Regular \$2.00. Sale                                       | \$1.60  |
| MARCELLA QUILTS, full bed size. Regular \$2.40. Sale                                       | \$1.90  |
| MARCELLA QUILTS, full bed size. Regular \$2.40. Sale                                       | \$2.15  |
| MARCELLA QUILTS, full bed size. Regular \$2.75. Sale                                       | \$2.20  |
| MARCELLA QUILTS, full bed size. Regular \$3.50. Sale                                       | \$2.80  |
| DAMASK TABLING, unbleached, 70 inch. Regular 65c. Sale                                     | 50c     |
| DAMASK TABLING, unbleached, 54 inch. Regular 75c. Sale                                     | 57 1/2c |
| DAMASK TABLING, bleached, 55 inch. Regular 45c. Sale                                       | 35c     |
| DAMASK TABLING, bleached, 60 inch. Regular 50c. Sale                                       | 40c     |
| DAMASK TABLING, bleached, 66 inch. Regular 75c. Sale                                       | 57 1/2c |
| DAMASK TABLING, bleached, 72 inch. Regular \$1.00. Sale                                    | 80c     |
| DAMASK TABLING, bleached, 72 inch. Regular \$1.25. Sale                                    | 90c     |
| DAMASK TABLING, bleached, 72 inch. Regular \$1.75. Sale                                    | \$1.20  |
| DAMASK TABLING, bleached, 72 inch. Regular \$2.00. Sale                                    | \$1.65  |
| DAMASK TABLING, bleached, 72 inch. Regular \$2.40. Sale                                    | \$1.65  |
| DAMASK NAPKINS, hemmed, ready for use. Regular \$2.25. Sale                                | \$1.75  |
| DAMASK NAPKINS, hemmed, ready for use. Regular \$2.50. Sale                                | \$1.90  |
| DAMASK NAPKINS, hemmed, ready for use. Regular \$3.25. Sale                                | \$2.65  |
| DAMASK NAPKINS, hemmed, ready for use. Regular \$4.00. Sale                                | \$3.50  |
| DAMASK NAPKINS, hemmed, ready for use. Regular \$5.00. Sale                                | \$3.75  |
| DAMASK NAPKINS, hemmed, ready for use. Regular \$3.75. Sale                                | \$2.95  |

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| DAMASK NAPKINS, not hemmed..                                    | 85     |
| DAMASK NAPKINS, not hemmed..                                    | \$1.25 |
| DAMASK NAPKINS, not hemmed..                                    | \$1.25 |
| DAMASK NAPKINS, not hemmed..                                    | \$2.50 |
| DAMASK NAPKINS, not hemmed..                                    | \$2.75 |
| DAMASK NAPKINS, not hemmed..                                    | \$2.85 |
| DAMASK NAPKINS, not hemmed..                                    | \$3.00 |
| DAMASK NAPKINS, not hemmed..                                    | \$4.00 |
| DAMASK NAPKINS, not hemmed..                                    | \$4.50 |
| DAMASK NAPKINS, not hemmed..                                    | \$4.75 |
| DAMASK NAPKINS, not hemmed..                                    | \$6.00 |
| DAMASK NAPKINS, not hemmed..                                    | \$7.50 |
| DAMASK NAPKINS, not hemmed..                                    | \$8.50 |
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## CANADA'S TRADE WITH ANTIPODES

J. S. LARKE DEALS  
WITH THE SUBJECT

Some Features of Business  
Which Promise to  
Develop.

J. S. Larke, Canadian trade commissioner for New South Wales, Queensland and New Zealand, who will arrive here by the Marima, has made a careful study of the question of business to be developed between the Canadian and Australian provinces. As a result of it Mr. Larke, reports to the department of trade and commerce recently, said:

A general impression existed that the trade between the two Dominions was very small and stagnant. While the amount of the trade is not what it could be made, yet it is larger than is generally conceived, due to the fact that the trade returns of both New Zealand and Canada do not give a direct trade between the two countries. If this were not so, the return of exports from one country would be the same as the return of imports of the other. In 1906, while the New Zealand trade returns showed an export to Canada of \$25,815, the Canadian trade returns showed imports from New Zealand of \$22,071. The years are not quite concurrent, but if the inquiry be extended to the Canadian returns for a period ending March, 1907, which would be practically concurrent with the exports for the year 1906, the same results will follow. On the other hand, the import trade of New Zealand shows a larger amount of goods received from Canada than the export trade returns of Canada indicate.

This is due to so large a proportion of the trade between the two countries being done either through New York or London. The Canadian exporter supplies his goods to the agencies at these points where his accounts are paid, and accordingly he would not accurately give the Canadian origin of the imports than those of 1902. Still they show what is virtually the case—some improvement in the trade.

There was also an opinion that the two countries produce and export very much the same articles could not have much interchange. Facts show this conclusion to be incorrect. The seasons of the two countries being opposite, the demand is created in the one for the products of the other, even if at the producing season, the receiving country exports them. New Zealand has made a very considerable development in its home industries. But it has, as yet, a small population, which will render it impossible to manufacture all the requirements of its people economically. Yet on the other hand, its people are prosperous, they have a large buying power.

That Canada is supplying but a small proportion of what New Zealand buys, and even of what it is hoped would come from Canada, need not be pointed out. New Zealand is not doing a much larger proportion of the trade than it might do. It sends to Canada less than one-eighth of the butter that Canada imports, though New Zealand is famous for the high character of this product. Of the mutton that Canada purchases from other countries it sends practically nothing. It sends but a trifling percentage of the provisions, and very little more of the wool, skins, and hides that Canada has to obtain abroad. On both sides, therefore, there is even now a field for extended trade. Other lines are as yet untouched.

At Auckland I saw a store in which the stone used on the ornamental work of the building was quarried in Labrador, and when I was in Dunedin, at the other end of the Dominion, a steamer was loading stone for Vancouver. At that point I was asked for information of the possibilities of obtaining granite, slate and other building materials that were required in the young Dominion.

It was very gratifying to learn on all sides that Canadian exporters had considerably improved their methods of packing and the details of conducting business. It was an exception to hear complaints of the character that I received in my previous tour of four years ago. Especially satisfactory was it to hear testimony as to the integrity of Canadian exporters. The head of one prominent firm, who has suffered some loss through a Canadian agent, said: "I have reason to complain of the mistakes of Canadian firms, but in no instance have I had reason for a suspicion of dishonesty." I found similar opinions expressed by others. Such a character is an exceedingly valuable asset in business.

Much disappointment was expressed at the slow growth of trade between the two countries. On every hand I was told "We will, where we can, give a preference to Canadian goods over foreign goods, if they can be obtained." This is mainly due, in so far as the exports from Canada are concerned, to the inability of Canadian manufacturers to accept orders, or to fill them promptly when accepted. This does not apply to all branches of the trade, but is general. I was given instances in which orders sent fifteen months before

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were unfilled. There are indications that the Canadian manufacturers are in better position to do the trade now than they have been for some years past. Even where they could fill orders, the result of past disappointments will be to prevent large orders being given. It will take some time before the importers of New Zealand will have sufficient confidence in the ability of the Canadian manufacturer to supply their demands, before they will entrust very large orders to Canada. A disappointment in receiving his orders with fair promptness is a serious matter to a New Zealand business man, and hence he must have assurance that when given, they will be executed with reasonable promptitude.

Suggestions that might lead to an improvement in the trade of the two countries can be summed up under two heads.

**Communication and Transportation**

It was claimed that a reduction in the cost of cabling would be a mutual advantage to the two countries. I ventured to state that Sir Sandford Fleming had pointed out that the method of accomplishing this was by the completion of the All Red cable system.

Another requirement was the improvement of the mail service between Canada and New Zealand, and inquiries were made as to the prospects of what is known as the "All Red Fast Service," between England, Canada and New Zealand. I had no further information as to this scheme that had appeared in the newspapers of the time, but was enabled to show that the line between Sydney and Vancouver had been very materially improved, and that it was probable at an early date, there would be still greater improvement in the speed and accommodation of the ships.

The chief hindrance to the extension of trade between the two countries lies in the defect in the transportation service between them. British Columbia buys at certain seasons butter and meats, which at these seasons are abundant in New Zealand. New Zealand exporters are not sharing in the trade, though they have the advantage of the preferential tariff.

A bi-monthly line of steamers runs between New Zealand and Vancouver directly, but they have no refrigerated space in which to carry these products. The export of perishable products from Canada to New Zealand is affected by the same lack of accommodation. That service has been badly conducted and imperfectly equipped. But as the line has recently passed to other hands, some hope is entertained of an improvement in this direction.

The manufacturers of Canada being almost wholly situated on the eastern side of the Dominion, their exports must go either via Vancouver, New York or London. They are also the consumers of wool, hides, skins, flax and other raw materials of New Zealand which would have to take the same course. Though the Canadian Canadian railway and the mail line of steamers have always shown a deep interest in the

**Extension of Trade**  
between the two countries, the probability that but one-fifth of the trade is done over this route indicates the unlikelihood of its securing a much larger share of freight. The route to London receives carrying the products of two sides of the triangle and paying the costs of transferring from one line of steamers to the other. The route to New York is objected to on account of the expense of doing business in New York city.

The head of a firm doing the leading business in its line, with houses in all the cities of New Zealand, stated that his experience has been that the value of the preference between the two countries was swallowed up in the cost of doing business through New York, and thus neither the exporters of Canada nor the importers of New Zealand received any advantage from the reciprocal agreement. Some other objections to doing business with that city were also communicated to me in harmony with the views presented in my report of March 16th last.

Mr. Kent, a representative of the city of Bristol, was present at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce in Wellington, and he suggested that the line of steamers plying between New Zealand and Bristol might send a monthly service to a Canadian port, discharging New Zealand cargo for Canada, and taking on Canadian cargo in return. This would be of considerable advantage and would prevent the necessity of re-loading goods, which are sometimes damaged in the transference from one steamer to another.

The details of our trade will be more appropriately considered when the returns of the trade of last year are published, but two or three articles can well be taken now.

**The Paper Trade**

was one of the largest consumers of paper in New Zealand. He condemned Canadian paper in very severe terms and intimated that the publishers of New Zealand were going to throw up their contracts for Canadian paper and substitute British paper at a higher price. I found no other user who spoke of Canadian paper in such terms. The difficulty with the publisher in that he had obtained Canadian paper through a firm which took contracts, and supplied the paper to a Canadian mill which closed down. The contract was originally taken at very low figures, and as Canadian mills, I think,

would care to supply good news at the price.

The users of paper of other Canadian mills were well satisfied, showing a very marked change in the quality of the paper, in the method of packing and shipping that has taken place in four years. So satisfied were they that new contracts have just been entered into for large deliveries for some time ahead. If direct and regular transportation from the eastern Canadian mills could be secured, nearly the whole of the news trade of New Zealand must shortly fall to Canada. Paper should be rehandled as little as possible, otherwise there is danger of the cylinders losing shape and resulting in breakages when used in the fast printing presses. In my report for March I gave some indications of the promising market for British Columbia timber. On the eastern side of New Zealand, I had inquiries respecting the timber trade. The Canadian mills are well represented. But there is a possibility that this trade may be for the moment overdone. A United States mill shipped a cargo of timber and it was sold at low figures. The purchaser is reported to have made a very great profit out of the transaction, which is likely to incite buyers to order supplies beyond immediate requirements. However, this will last but a short time. There is every indication that the timber trade will be a

**Steadily Increasing**

one. I had an opportunity to make a hasty run to the chief timber centres on the west coast. Mills are being erected which will speedily diminish the accessible timber supplies, and these when done, will increase the cost of local production very considerably.

One purpose of my visit to the west coast, was to ascertain the prospects of Canada supplying sawmill cuttings to a larger extent than at present. The government regulations of New Zealand only grant to any owner of a sawmill the right to hold 800 acres of timber lands when close to a railway, and 1,000 acres if further removed. As a result of this policy very small mills are erected; some of which do not cut much more than 5,000 feet a day. This would prevent the erection of modern machinery, as such small requirements can frequently be met at home. There are one or two large mills proposed at an early date, where the company about to build has been able to purchase outright a very considerable area of timber land. There is a possibility that the plant for these mills may be obtained in Canada.

New Zealand would take a considerable quantity of fruit and sometimes potatoes, were there facilities for carrying by direct steamer. One of the largest handlers of these lines of produce has written me, that as soon as such transportation is available, he will go largely into the trade. There is every prospect, however, of the New Zealand requirements being met by another firm which promises to go into the trade.

**In the preferential tariff, Canada**  
Has a monopoly of the United States business. Unfortunately, one or two shipments of inferior salmon have been sent to New Zealand. I have not yet the evidence that it originated in Canada, though the receiver has every reason to think that it did. It was not sent directly by any canner or representative of a canner. One or two other incidents of somewhat similar character, render it advisable that the canners of British Columbia salmon should take steps, by some means, to preserve the character of Canadian exports of salmon. There would be a danger, that if inferior fish were sent to New Zealand, Canada might lose the advantage that she now enjoys in this country.

I referred to a shipment of building stone from Dunedin for Vancouver. It is known as Oamaru stone, from the town near where it is quarried. When first raised it is exceedingly soft, and can be sawn almost as readily as timber. But on exposure to the atmosphere it rapidly hardens and continues to harden for some time. It is a beautiful cream color and makes a handsome building stone. Its cellular texture unfortunately, however, makes it a lodgment for fungi spores, which in moist climates rapidly germinate and discolor the building. There is a mineral pigment, I am advised, which can be applied to the stone, and which will both protect it from this growth and also preserve its color.

I also referred to the demand in New Zealand for building stone from Canada, particularly for granite. There should be good supplies of this article in British Columbia, and if quarries of suitable material were opened, a market could be had in New Zealand as well as Australia.

## VICTORIA FIRE ALARMS.

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- 4-Michigan and Menzies Sts.
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- 8-Montreal and Simcoe Sts.
- 10-Ontario and Dallas road.
- 12-Avalon road and Phoenix Place.
- 13-Victoria Chemical Works.
- 14-Vancouver and Burdette Sts.
- 15-Douglas and Humboldt Sts.
- 16-Humboldt and Rupert Sts.
- 17-Cook and Fairfield road.
- 21-Yates and Broad Sts.
- 23-Fort and Government Sts.
- 24-Yates and Wharf Sts.
- 25-Johnson and Government Sts.
- 26-Victoria Theatre, Douglas St.
- 27-Headquarters Fire Dept., Cormorant St.
- 28-Spencer's Arcade.
- 31-View and Blanchard Sts.
- 32-Port and Quadra Sts.
- 33-Cook and Yates Sts.
- 34-St. Charles St. and Rockland Ave.
- 35-Cadboro Bay road and Stanley Ave.
- 36-Cadboro Bay road and Oak Bay Ave.
- 37-Cadboro Bay and Richmond roads.
- 38-North Pembroke and Shakespear Sts.
- 41-Queens and Pandora Sts.
- 42-Chatham and Blanchard Sts.
- 43-Chatham and Cook Sts.
- 44-Spring Ridge.
- 45-Norfolk Chatham St. and Stanley Ave.
- 46-Pandora and Chambers Sts.
- 47-Douglas and Discovery Sts.
- 48-Goverment and Pandora Sts.
- 49-King's road and Second St.
- 50-Pountain, Douglas St. and Hillside.
- 51-Oaklands Fire Hall.
- 52-Constant and Store Streets.
- 53-Discovery and Store Sts.
- 54-John and Bridge Sts.
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### LADY IN UNDRRESS DISPELS QUATSINO FOG

Howls Incantations Perched on Bow of Boat in Nature's Garb.

(Special to the Times).  
Quatsino, June 24.—An experience sufficiently weird as to prove worth recording overtook B. W. Leeson here the other day. He was coming out of the Sound with a motor boat load of clams accompanied by a number of Indians with canoes behind towing. Suddenly a fog came up while the boat was crossing the mouth of the inlet. The several craft soon lost their way and did not know which direction to steer. Mr. Leeson was the only white man in the party and was, therefore, scarcely prepared for the performance which was to take place. As the predicament grew worse the Indians proposed that their doctor should dispel the fog and Mr. Leeson offered no objection having some knowledge of their superstitions. He stopped the motor of the boat and everything became quite still. Then Mrs. "Monkey," an Indian woman accompanying the party (her tribal name is unknown), stripped all her clothes off and clambered up into the bow of the boat. When there she commenced a series of most terrible howls wailing her hand first one way and then another, supposedly sweeping away the fog. This performance was followed by another set of howls accompanied by incantations, and so on without cessation. At first Mr. Leeson displayed a tendency to laugh, but the solemn faces of the Indians around quite dispelled this idea. Mrs. "Monkey's" lovely figure perched in the bow of the boat evidently did not seem so ludicrous to them as it did to the white man. Strange to say the fog soon lifted caused, the Indians were perfectly satisfied, by their sorceress. Provided she will dispense with the undress performance, parties here have decided when next venturing out to bring Mrs. "Monkey" with them as all are perfectly well pleased with the efficacy of incantations.

**ROSSLAND-TRAIL CELEBRATION.**  
Trail, June 23.—The citizens of Trail generally will join with Rossland in holding a joint celebration in that city on Dominion Day. A special train will leave Trail at 9:30 in the morning, returning at 9:30 in the evening. A horse team from this city will compete in the hub and hub and wet test

### QUATSINO CLUB. Residents in North of Island Form Social Organization.

(Special to the Times).  
Quatsino, June 24.—The residents here have organized a club to be known as the Quatsino Club whose province will be the providing of social entertainments. Everyone in the neighborhood has joined and the money for the erection of a large club house has already been subscribed. It is proposed to build this of two stories high with dimensions of forty feet long by thirty feet wide. This will be started immediately and the grand opening of the club which will comprise a picnic and a dance will be held on July 2nd.

### SORDID SEQUEL TO MESALLIANCE

White Woman Who Married Chinaman to Appear in Court.

New Westminster, June 23.—An echo of the recent mesalliance between a white woman, Edith Lamoung, and a young Chinaman named Nip Sue will be heard in the police court this morning. The woman still bears the marks of the bullet wounds of a jealous paramour who shot her several times a few days after these matrimonial proceedings were completed, and is not long out of the hospital. The case arises from a raid by Sergeant Gieser and Officers Gill and Johnson on Saturday night on the fruit store in Chinatown, where, it is alleged, the officers discovered two girls, a white named Babe Cameron, and a negro, Sally Lawrence. A crowd gathered while the arrests were made, but no opposition was offered. The young Chinese salesman who proved so accommodating in matters nuptial, and his wife with a pistol, are charged with an offence under the code, and the girls with being inmates of a place of ill-fame. No bail could be secured and the four accused have remained in the lock-up. So far as is known, this house was not a "dope" den. The police have considered the marriage all along a ruse to evade the law, and it is understood, plenty of evidence can be presented. Counsel has been secured to defend the accused.

### MINERAL OUTLOOK IN NORTH OF ISLAND

Work Proceeding on Vancouver Coal Property—Taking Gold in Klaskino.

(Special to the Times).  
Quatsino, June 24.—Faint rumors have been in the air for some time past that a period of considerable development may be looked for in the immediate future at Quatsino. How these rumors have originated, or from what corporation or individual the impetus will be received is not known. Some have it that the C. P. R. will eventually create its Pacific Coast terminus here, thereby establishing the shortest route to the Orient from the American continent. This belief may only be father to the wish but certain it is that numerous speculators have secured waterfront property which they are holding with the grimness of death in view of any possible contingency.

Vancouver Coal Syndicate.  
Meantime as to what is doing at present, perhaps the most prominent sign of activity is that displayed by the Vancouver Coal Syndicate which is now opening up its property on the West Arm. Mr. Pearson has charge of this work and during the past few weeks considerable improvements have been effected. Most noticeable of these is the placing of a boiler and housing engine in the shaft which lies some one and half miles from the shore line. Here it is proposed to carry on a considerable amount of drifting. The prospectors have struck an eight foot seam of coal containing some dirt, and they are hopeful that it will turn into five or six feet of solid mineral in a short drift. Upon this work there are some ten men employed at present.

Klaskino Gold Mine.  
Considerable work is now being carried on at the property of the Klaskino gold mine, and there are at present some four and a half tons of ore lying at the mine mouth ready to be brought to Winter harbor for transshipment. The native gold ore can be seen right on the ore, and there is little doubt that this company is working a property which will prove remunerative. Altogether the outlook in Quatsino from the mineral standpoint is good and there is reason to believe that there will be a number of prospectors visiting the vicinity during the next few months.

### DEATH OF MEN DUE TO BLASTING GAS

Pneumonia Claims Two Victims From Centre Star Mine.

Roseland, B. C., June 23.—The death has occurred in a most peculiar manner of two miners named John Erickson and J. A. Cameron, employed at the Centre Star mine. They were in the 1088' stop, working on the Friday night shift, had drilled their round and had blasted, and then, with two others engaged in the same stop, prepared to come off shift. Erickson and Cameron ascended the 500-foot level through the smoke, instead of going to a lower level first. The men went to their homes without feeling any peculiar effect, but later on pneumonia, which is rapidly developed by the gas generated by the explosion of the gas, was hurried off to the hospital and there succumbed. Erickson dying at home. This tragic occurrence following so soon after the terrible death of Maurice Power, the fireman at the same mine, has created a great sensation in the city.

**WANTED FOR PAST TWO YEARS.**  
Fernie, June 23.—Constable Sampson, of the provincial police, arrested a man named Jim Sitto in the Roma hotel here to-night. This man has been badly wanted for the past two years for an attempted murder at Little, near Frank, Alta. Superintendent Primrose, of the R. N. W. M. P., at McLeod, asked Officer Sampson on Sunday morning to take charge of the prisoner, who was taken to Frank last night to await trial.

### SURVEYING OTTER VALLEY.

Nicola, June 23.—The C. P. R. survey party, in charge of H. Carry, C. E., are now working in the vicinity of McKay's ranch in Otter valley and will continue on towards the Okanagan section. The grade secured up the Coldwater river has been very satisfactory and there is every possibility that the railway will be built on this route.

Crocodiles, like ostriches, swallow small pebbles, for the purpose of grinding their food.

### WATER IN LONDON CITY.

"Water is becoming dearer and dearer in the city. Very soon it will be cheaper to wash in champagne."

This interesting statement is reported to have been made by Dr. Waldo, the city coroner, at an inquiry in London. This remark led a press representative to make inquiries into the matter. Fortunately there is no fear of a water famine in London; the water itself is not scarce, but in some cases in the city the charges worked out at the actual amount of water consumed are said to be as much as one might expect to pay for more luxurious beverages.

"Probably Dr. Waldo had in mind the new water charges," explained a high official of the Metropolitan water board to the press representative. "It is a fact that in some parts of the city the cost of water has gone up. For instance, under the new water clauses act there is a uniform rate of five per cent. charged throughout the metropolitan area. In the case of the old companies, with properties in the city not using much water, the company power to make special terms, thereby considerably reducing the rate. But under the new act such discretion is taken away, and all properties are now under the five per cent. rate. Some consequently have been greatly reduced."

"We hear a lot of complaints about the latter, but little about the former in the way of commendation. Many complaints were considered by the joint committee of parliament on the new charges, and subsequently by parliament itself, but it was decided that uniform treatment should be meted out all round."

### DISCOVER VALUABLE PRINTED WORKS.

Professor Thormahlen, of the School of Art and Industry, at Magdeburg, has discovered in the Cathedral school, which was formerly the library of the Monastery, 2,146 of the rarest old printed sheets, the value of which he estimated at £2,750. The Royal Library of Berlin has offered £500 for the works of date up to 1,500, and declares that 800 of the newly discovered sheets are entirely unique.

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### Synopsis of Canadian Northwest Homestead Regulations.

Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the Northwest Provinces, excepting 8 and 24, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person the sole head of a family, or male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section, of less, more or less. Application for homestead entry must be made in person by the applicant at the office of the local Agent or Sub-Agent. Entry by proxy may, however, be made on certain conditions by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of an intending homesteader. An application for inspection or inspection made personally at any Sub-Agent's office may be wired to the local agent by the Sub-Agent, at the expense of the applicant, and if the land applied for is vacant on record of the telegram such application is to have priority and the land will be held until the necessary papers to complete the transaction are received by mail. In case of "personation" the entry will be summarily cancelled and the applicant will be liable for prosecution. An application for inspection must be made in person. The applicant must be eligible for homestead entry, and only one application for inspection will be received from an individual until that application has been disposed of. A homesteader whose entry is in good standing, and not liable to cancellation, may, subject to approval of Department, relinquish it in favor of father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister, if eligible, but to no one else, on filing declaration of abandonment. Where an entry is summarily cancelled, or voluntarily abandoned, subsequent to institution of cancellation proceedings, the applicant for inspection will be entitled to priority of entry. Applicants for inspection must state in what particulars the homesteader is in default, and if subsequently the statement is found to be incorrect in material particulars, the applicant will lose any prior right of re-entry, should the land become vacant, or if entry has been granted it may be summarily cancelled. DUTIES.—A settler is required to perform the conditions under one of the following plans: (1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year during the term of three years. (2) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased) of a homesteader resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for by such homesteader, the requirement as to residence may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother. (3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon the land entered for by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirement may be satisfied by residence upon such land. Before making application for patent the settler must give six months' notice in writing to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa, of his intention to do so. SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST MINING REGULATIONS. COAL.—Coal mining rights may be leased for a period of twenty-one years or

an annual rental of \$1 per acre. Not more than 2,560 acres shall be leased to one individual or company. A royalty at the rate of five cents per ton shall be collected on the merchantable coal mined. QUARTZ.—A person eighteen years of age, or over, having discovered mineral in place, may locate a claim 1,000 x 1,500 feet. The fee for recording a claim is \$5. At least \$100 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the mining recorder in lieu thereof. When \$500 has been expended or paid, the locator may, upon having a survey made, and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at \$1 per acre. The patent provides for the payment of a royalty of 5% per cent. on the sales. FICER mining claims generally are 100 feet square; entry fee \$5, renewable yearly. An applicant may obtain two leases to dredge for gold of five miles each for a term of twenty years, renewable at the discretion of the Minister of the Interior. The leases shall have a dredge in operation within one season from the date of the lease for each five miles. Rental \$10 per annum for each mile of river leased. Royalty at the rate of 5% per cent. collected on the output after it exceeds \$20,000.

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## WEEKLY REVIEW OF THE CHARTER MARKET

Active Week in Grain Chartering for Northern Loading.

Chartering of vessels for new crop grain, northern loading, has been active during the week, and at the present time there are about thirty-five vessels under engagement, says the San Francisco Commercial News in its weekly review of the charter market. Practically all have been taken at union rates. Recent advices from the north indicate that the grain crop is not turning out as well as had been expected. The weather has not been as favorable as it should be at the close of the season, and as a consequence estimates of the yield are being reduced. It is figured now that the crop will be as large as last year's, but considering the increased acreage it is not thought that the reduction will be heavy. The disengaged tonnage on the coast is steadily increasing, but is not heavy for this time of the year and there is not much likelihood of any reduction in rates.

Lumber chartering for offshore business has quieted down again. Steamers are holding out for higher rates, but thus far are unable to obtain them. One, however, recently obtained a rate of 60s. from Portland to Hamburg and Copenhagen. The demand from the Orient continues very light; practically nothing is doing in Australian business, and except for an occasional fixture of a small vessel for west coast business nothing is doing in that direction either.

Offshore rates are quoted approximately as follows:  
Lumber from Puget Sound or British Columbia to Sydney, 25s 3d/26s 3d; (mail), 20s; to Melbourne or Adelaide (steam), 27s 6d, (sail) 31s 3d; to Port Pirie (steam), 27s 6d; to Fremantle, 35s; to Japan ports (steam), 30s; to Calcutta, 40s; to direct nitrate port, 40s/42s 6d; Valparaiso for orders, 40s/42s 6d; 2d less to a direct port; to South African port, 47s 6d; to U. K. or Continent, 52s 6d/54s; Guaymas, 56s/58s.

Foreign mail advices report the following fixtures: Eugene Schneider and Desaix, Antwerp to Portland or Puget Sound, 8s; Jean Bart, Hull and Antwerp to San Francisco, 15s and 18s; nitrate ports—direct—Australia, wheat chartering, 40s; coal chartering, 40s; Newcastle, N. S. W., to San Francisco, nominally 12s 6d to 13s 6d.

## MRS. R. MARPOLE CHRISTENED STEAMER

Interesting Ceremony Took Place at Fairfield Shipyards.

A cablegram says that the new C. P. R. steamer intended for the Pacific Coast service was christened Princess Charlotte by Mrs. R. Marpole, wife of the general executive assistant of the company. The ceremony took place at the shipyard of the Fairfield Company at Govan, on the Clyde.

## MARINE NOTES

One of the largest launches yet turned out in this city was placed in the water today, when a forty-foot hull, built for F. Simpson for timber cruising work on the West Coast, was launched. The launch will be equipped with a 35 horse power Lozier engine by the Hinton Electric Company, and should prove one of the most serviceable crafts of its kind about the island. It was built according to patterns supplied by J. Detroit, Mich., firm, by day labor.

To-night the Princess Beatrice will assist the steamer in handling the holiday crowd to Vancouver. Up to noon today the C. P. R. ticket offices had found such a demand for tickets that it is doubtful whether the two steamers, both leaving here at midnight, will be able to carry all that want to go.

After a smart trip from San Francisco the steamship Governor reached the outer wharf last night with 300 passengers and over 1,000 tons of freight. The Governor landed over 30 passengers here, and, after discharging 71 tons of freight, proceeded to Seattle.

The steamer City of Nanaimo is engaged for a holiday excursion to Cowichan Bay to-morrow, and consequently did not sail on the usual run to Comox to-day.

The steamer Leebro leaves for Estevan Point to-night carrying the remainder of the machinery for the fog alarm station which is being erected there.

The steamship Tees sails to-morrow evening for Mosquito Harbor and way ports on the West Coast.

R. M. S. Marama reached port from Australia this afternoon just as the Times went to press.

The steamship Henrietta, of the McKenna fleet, will leave here for the North this evening.

The steamship Lake Erie arrived at Montreal this morning from Liverpool.

The steamer Trader left this morning for Island and Fraser river points.

The Princess Beatrice reached port from Seattle to-day.

PLAYS 50-NIGHT RECORD.

The 50th performance of "When Knights Were Bold" took place at Wyndham's theatre in London. This play has now broken all records for length of run in London in the present century.

## WILL BUILD WHALING DEPOT

LOCAL COMPANY IS  
NOW BEING ORGANIZED

Dr. Rissmuller to Superintend  
Erection of Station on  
Dundas Island.

To erect and operate a large modern whaling station, equipped with all the world-famous appliances and machinery, designed by Dr. Rissmuller, of this city, on Big Dundas Island, off Port Simpson, is the object of "The Prince Rupert Whaling Company, Limited," letters of incorporation for which were today applied for. The company has been promoted by Capt. C. J. Kelly, who will be manager, and H. G. Hall, who is solicitor for the concern. The capitalization is \$400,000, and stock will be sold in \$5 shares. It is stated that ample capital will be at the company's disposal, as the inquiries received indicate that the stock will be rapidly taken up.

The station is to be of the most modern character possible, being constructed under the supervision of Dr. Rissmuller, who is acknowledged to be the greatest whaling expert and inventor of the present time. Dr. Rissmuller will superintend the erection of the station and its equipment with his own machinery and appliances, and will also supervise the selection of a staff for the plant. A whaling steamer will be built for the company either in England or Norway, and will be out in these waters at the earliest possible time. Negotiations are already under way for the machinery, which can be supplied as soon as the company is ready to commence the erection of the station.

Big Dundas Island, in the Dundas group, is approximately 20 miles from Port Simpson and 27 miles from Prince Rupert. It has a pleasant climate, and is situated in a fresh water lake being situated in the vicinity of the whaling station site, which was selected by Capt. Kelly.

The island is situated at the mouth of the Portland Inlet, near the halibut banks, where, according to Vancouver fishermen, whales are to be found in greater numbers than anywhere else on the Pacific Coast.

Dr. Rissmuller will be advising chemist and engineer for the company, and under his guidance, the company should repeat the success attained by the Pacific Whaling Company, in which he is heavily interested. The stock of this company increased over 200 per cent. in value during the first year, and the operations of the Kysnot, Sechart and Page's Lagoon stations have set world's records for phenomenal catches of whale.

## VADSO BRINGS NEWS FROM THE CANNIERIES

Run is Fifteen to the Boat on  
the Naas and Skeena.

Fishing is in full swing on the Naas and Skeena, and on Rivers Inlet, according to information brought by the steamship Vadso, which returned to port last evening.

On the Naas the sockeye and spring salmon are both running, the catch being 15 to the boat, and the same figure is recorded on the Skeena. Only sockeye are running in Rivers Inlet, where the catch is about 10 to the boat. Chinese and Indian cannery hands have been making their way to the canneries for the past three weeks, and the river and inlet canneries are ready for packing.

The Vadso brought down a shipment of lumber from Swanson's Bay and some mild cured salmon from the Naas. She has a large number of steerage passengers each way and twelve saloon. Owners to-morrow being a public holiday, the steamship's sailing time has been postponed until 9 p. m. on Thursday.

## TIDE TABLE.

| Date. | Time of High Water. | Time of Low Water. |
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| 1     | 10:40               | 10:35              |
| 2     | 10:35               | 10:30              |
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| 24    | 8:45                | 8:40               |
| 25    | 8:40                | 8:35               |
| 26    | 8:35                | 8:30               |
| 27    | 8:30                | 8:25               |
| 28    | 8:25                | 8:20               |
| 29    | 8:20                | 8:15               |
| 30    | 8:15                | 8:10               |

The time used is Pacific Standard, for the 12th Meridian west. It is counted from 9 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height are of the foot above the average level of the lowest low water in each month of the year. The height is 1 foot above the datum to which the soundings on the Admiralty chart of Victoria harbor are reduced.

The barque Havila, which it was expected, was bringing ash from Mexico for this side, is at Tacoma. The Havila was unloaded at Guaymas and was offered sale as ballast. As this meant sailing from Guaymas to Carmen Island, and to load without ballast the master of the Danish sailer refused the offer and took on ballast. It is understood that the schooner Lottie Bennett is freighting the ball to Vancouver.

The most cooling of hot weather beverages is iced "Salada" Tea. It is most delicious.

## FELL TO DEATH FROM CHIPPEWA YESTERDAY

J. F. Walsch Drowned Half an  
Hour After Steamer Left  
Here.

Port Townsend, June 30.—During fire drill on the steamer Chippewa half an hour after she left Victoria for Seattle last evening, J. F. Walsch, mess-boy, of Seattle, was knocked overboard by a swinging lifeboat and drowned.

About 5 o'clock the fire signal was suddenly given from the bridge, it being customary on passenger steamers to have regular drills, but a large number of the passengers mistook the alarm for a real sign of fire and some consternation was consequently caused. The officers quieted the crowd which was rushing for the lifeboats and the order was then given to the boat-crews to swing the boats. Walsch and a deck-hand were at lifeboat No. 3 and both swung the boat together with the result that it came back and striking the former, sent him overboard.

The Chippewa was immediately stopped and a boat manned which searched fruitlessly for the missing man. His cap was found floating about a quarter of a mile from the steamer. It is thought that he died immediately upon reaching the water through heart failure as he was a good swimmer and could have kept afloat if uninjured. Solemn services were held on the steamer by Rev. Jordan, of the Baptist church of Portland, and a voluntary choir assisted.

Walsch was 19 years of age. Only two weeks ago he lost his only sister.

## UNSINKABLE CRAFT FOR LIFE-SAVING USES

Unique Little Vessel Sails From  
Norway to the  
Thames.

Few boats have attracted more attention of late years along the Thames than a peculiar little egg-shaped craft, not unlike a humpbacked submarine, that, flying the Norwegian flag, was slowly towed from London docks to Westminster bridge, and moored off St. Thomas' hospital, a few days ago.

The strange little vessel is the Uraed (meaning Fearless) invented by Capt. Brude, a young Norwegian, who claims to have solved the problem of constructing a life-saving boat for passenger and cargo vessels, capable of resisting rough seas, cold weather, and hurricanes with equal ease.

Captain Brude left Norway for London in the Uraed, and arrived at Gravesend with his crew of two—a sailing and a Norwegian journalist, Mr. E. Ludvigsen, of the Norges Sjøfartstidende—in the best of spirits.

The Uraed is constructed of thin steel plates, and is 14 feet in length and six feet wide and deep. It can carry about twenty-five people, and can be provisioned for a long time, and it has a double bottom, divided into four water-tight compartments, in which water and other necessities can be stored. An easily managed sliding keel prevents undue rolling, and on the top there is a railing and a lookout tower, from which the helmsman has an open view through four glazed portholes.

The steering is done by means of a rope which is manipulated from within, as it would be utterly out of the question for the crew to venture outside in rough weather.

Interviewed in the roomy, well-upholstered living cabin, Captain Brude said: "We have had a fine crossing from Norway, which we left on May 23rd. The boat is absolutely water-tight, and is capable of weathering any storm with any number of passengers, according to her size. Our company at Berger, Norway, are now prepared to deliver the same type of boat to hold forty passengers, which will probably suit the requirements of passenger and cargo steamers."

"Supposing a vessel is sinking, all the passengers have to do is to slip through the openings at both ends and wait for the ship to go down. The lifeboat may also be dragged down few yards by the action of the sinking vessel, but it will rise again triumphantly in a few seconds, and no one will be the worse for the experience. As for sailing about on the high seas in this boat, it is as comfortable as a railway carriage. The longer and heavier the waves are the less is the motion felt. The most terrific hurricane becomes almost a delightful experience."

"I am going to submit the Uraed to the test of experts appointed by the Board of Trade, and no doubt, the result will be satisfactory. From London we go to Amsterdam and The Hague, and thence to Paris, in response to an invitation from the French government to demonstrate the invention."

"My nearest approach to a mishap was on an eighty-five days' voyage from Alesund to Newfoundland, when a whaling vessel, mistaking the Uraed for a whale, bore down on her full speed, with her harpoon-gun ready to fire. Fortunately, the men on the whaler saw the Uraed in the nick of time, and did not shoot."

The journey, however, Mr. Ludvigsen, is nearly as enthusiastic over the merits of the Uraed as the inventor. He said the day after the start they fell in with a very rough sea, and the boat behaved excellently, though the constant motion was very uncomfortable. They got used to it. It did not, however, take away their appetites, and they lived well on tinned foods and slept very soundly.

Several vessels were spoken on the way, the first on the fifth day out be-

ing the British trawler City of Gloucester, which gave them the longitude. The same day a big Swedish cargo boat bore down on them under the impression they were shipwrecked. A Danish passenger steamer, bound to Newcastle, was under the same impression till it got alongside, and then there ensued much chaffing between the voyagers on the Uraed and the passengers.

DEMAND NOTE FOR A FARTHING.

A Colchester ratepayer has received a demand note for one farthing in respect of a rate "for special expenses under the sanitary acts." After walking a mile to the collector's office to pay it, he tendered a halfpenny, but the collector could not give him the farthing change.

VANISHING FRANCE.

Old France is slowly disappearing, and its local customs, picturesque costumes, and the language peculiar to its ancient provinces will very soon become nothing more than precious souvenirs preserved in faithful memories or related in works of tradition, which will charm our descendants—Pettit Parisien.

CATHEDRAL ROOF OF SILVER.

The roof of the nave of Salisbury cathedral, England, which is now being repaired, is covered with sheet lead containing a large quantity of silver. In order to prevent it being exchanged for inferior metal the plumbers employed on the work are required to melt it on the cathedral premises.

A. J. Mallet and Mrs. Mallet, after spending a time in Victoria, have returned to Vancouver. . . . J. W. D. York and bride returned last night by the steamship Governor from a trip to California.

## SHIPPING GUIDE.

### OCEAN STEAMSHIPS

From the Orient.

|                  |         |
|------------------|---------|
| Vessel.          | Due.    |
| Empress of China | July 1  |
| Empress of India | July 1  |
| Shamout          | July 2  |
| Leamox           | July 13 |

From Australia.

|          |          |
|----------|----------|
| Marama   | July 1   |
| Aorangi  | July 30  |
| Hibernia | Aug. 27  |
| Manuk    | Sept. 24 |

From Mexico.

|          |         |
|----------|---------|
| Lonadale | July 20 |
|----------|---------|

From Liverpool.

|        |        |
|--------|--------|
| Keemun | July 8 |
| Canfa  | Aug. 6 |

TO SAIL.

For the Orient.

|                  |         |
|------------------|---------|
| Glenfarg         | July 2  |
| Ald Maru         | July 7  |
| Empress of India | July 15 |

For Australia.

|        |         |
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| Marama | July 17 |
|--------|---------|

For Liverpool.

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|--------|--------|
| Peleus | July 8 |
| Keemun | Aug. 6 |

### SAILING VESSELS

TO ARRIVE.

|                                  |              |         |       |
|----------------------------------|--------------|---------|-------|
| Name.                            | Left.        | Date.   | For.  |
| Kynance, sp.                     | Liverpool    | April 5 | Vanc. |
| Falls of Dee                     | Isle of Mull | May 1   | Viet. |
| Hibernia                         | London       | May 1   | Viet. |
| (At Monte Video—damaged June 8.) |              |         |       |
| Aloah                            | Shanghai     | June 6  | Vanc. |

### COASTWISE STEAMERS

TO ARRIVE.

|                |        |
|----------------|--------|
| Vessel.        | Due.   |
| City of Puebla | July 4 |
| President      | July 9 |

From Skagway.

|                   |         |
|-------------------|---------|
| Princess Beatrice | June 20 |
| Princess May      | July 6  |

From Northern B. C. Ports.

|         |        |
|---------|--------|
| Camouss | July 1 |
|---------|--------|

From West Coast.

|      |        |
|------|--------|
| Tees | July 5 |
|------|--------|

TO SAIL.

For San Francisco.

|                |         |
|----------------|---------|
| President      | June 30 |
| City of Puebla | July 10 |

For Skagway.

|                   |        |
|-------------------|--------|
| Princess Beatrice | July 2 |
|-------------------|--------|

For Northern B. C. Ports.

|         |        |
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| Camouss | July 1 |
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Vadso

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For West Coast.

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### FERRY SERVICE

Seattle and Vancouver.

S. S. Princess Victoria sails daily except Tuesday, as follows: Leaves Victoria, 12:45 p. m.; arrives Vancouver, 4:45 p. m. Leaves Vancouver, 6 p. m.; arrives Victoria, 10 p. m. Leaves Victoria, 1:30 a. m.; arrives Seattle, 6:30 a. m. Leaves Seattle, 8 a. m.; arrives Victoria, 12 noon.

S. S. Princess Royal leaves Victoria, 4 p. m. daily except Tuesday; arrives Seattle, 9 p. m. daily except Tuesday. Leaves Seattle, 9 p. m. daily except Tuesday; arrives Victoria, 2 p. m. daily except Tuesday.

Rosalia sails daily, except Tuesday, for Seattle at 8:30 a. m. Arrives daily, except Tuesday, from Seattle at 1:30 p. m. Leaves Seattle at 4:30 p. m. Arrives daily, except Thursday, from Seattle at 1:30 p. m.

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A clasp bracelet set with deep hued graduated rubies of generous size. These are interspersed with numerous pearls, set in open scroll design.

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—is useful for all outdoor gatherings. It provides choice refreshments—both as Bouillon and in Sandwiches.



## Port Angeles Excursion

Saturday July 4th

S. S. "CHIPPEWA" and "WHATCOM" leave wharf by Postoffice at 8:30 a. m., 12:30 and 2:00 p. m.

Arrive back 12 a. m., 4:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m.

## 50c ROUND TRIP 50c

## CITY BAND

BASEBALL  
VICTORIA VS. ANGELES

"CHIPPEWA" leaves Victoria for Seattle direct 7:30 p. m. July 4.

## TO VANCOUVER

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Leaves Victoria daily, except Thursday, 4:30 p. m., connecting at Seattle at 9:30 p. m. with fast S. S. IROQUOIS, arriving at Vancouver 8 a. m.

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## Municipal Notice

Municipal Bye-Election, 1908.

## PUBLIC NOTICE

Is hereby given to the Electors of the Municipality of the City of Victoria, that I require the presence of the said Electors at the City Hall, in the Police Court Room, on Monday, the 6th day of July, 1908, from 12 noon to 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing a person to represent them in the Municipal Council as Alderman for Ward No. 2.

The mode of nomination of candidate shall be as follows:

The candidate shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and 2 p. m. of the day of the nomination, and in event of a poll being necessary such poll will be opened on Thursday, the 5th day of July, 1908, from 9 a. m. to 7 p. m., in the Court Room of the City Hall aforesaid, of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

The persons qualified to be nominated for and elected as Alderman for Ward No. 2 shall be such persons as are male persons of full age of twenty-one years, and are not disqualified under any law, and have been for the six months next preceding the nomination, the registered owner in the Land Registry Office of land or real property in the City of Victoria of the assessed value on the last municipal assessment, roll of five hundred dollars, or more, over and above any registered incumbrance or charge, and who are otherwise duly qualified as municipal voters.

Given under my hand at Victoria, British Columbia, the 30th day of June, 1908.

WM. W. NORTHCOOT,  
Returning Officer.

## DOMINION DAY Celebration at Vancouver

WEDNESDAY, JULY 1st

\$2.50 VANCOUVER \$2.50

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TICKETS ON SALE JUNE 29th, 30th AND JULY 1st.

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S. S. PRINCESS VICTORIA sails daily except Tuesday. Leave Victoria 12:45 p. m. Leave Vancouver 6 p. m.

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## Tourists' and Travelers' Page

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Week 29th June, 1908.

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THE APOLLO QUARTETTE  
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SPECIAL ADDED ATTRACTION  
European Novelty AcrobatsMR. AND MRS. RALPH LEWIS  
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"Wait for Me by the Mulberry Tree"

NEW MOVING PICTURES

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Programme changed every Monday and

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Matinee, Wednesday and Saturday, 5

cents.

## PANTAGES

THEATRE

Week Commencing June 29th.

MARIE ROLFSON.

The Little Wonder Worker. Assisted by

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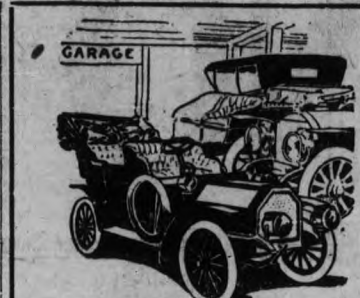
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## TRADER HERE FROM FAR NORTH

DAVID CADGOW HAS REACHED THE CITY

Lynx Have Destroyed the Fur Business During Late Years.

David Cadgow, the well-known trader from Rampart House, Y. T., is at the Dominion, having arrived here Sunday night. He brings with him two magnificent black fox skins valued at \$1,200 and \$1,500 each, and will leave for Winnipeg with his season's stock towards the end of this week. Furs have been scarce this year, said Mr. Cadgow last night, there being only about two-thirds of the previous years supply. The reason given for the scarcity is the great influx of lynx during the last two years. The lynx has now cleaned out all the other animals, says Mr. Cadgow, and this spring had commenced to fall back upon its kind and eat one another.

"Furs are, therefore, very scarce this year," said Mr. Cadgow, "and it is as I figured it would be before the winter. If the lynx pass from the country then the fur will come again. It is two years now since they made their appearance there, and there are now signs that they are moving eastward, which will relieve the situation and free the country. Next year I look for an increased supply."

Mr. Cadgow brings word that the boundary survey will go into Rampart House district next year. Survey parties are in the Yukon now. Mr. Cadgow passed over their trails on the fourth and learned that they are going down by Eagle and up the White river, carrying supplies up river. Next year he says they will get to Rampart House. The party were making enquiries regarding the probability of having to pack horse-feed into Rampart House next summer. Mr. Cadgow says that there is good feed there for horses or two or two and a half months during the summer. On the Arctic divide between the Porcupine and the Arctic ocean, there is a lonely prospector who has gone out in the interests of Mr. Cadgow and with sufficient supplies to last him all summer. He will spend the summer there alone and make prospects.

Talking of the recent murder of a man named Bergman, and the shooting of another man named Anderson by Ned Elfers, sixty years of age, who, into the Yukon from Seattle for the purpose, it is said, of robbing them of the few hundred dollars they possessed, Mr. Cadgow said the police deserved the highest praise for the manner in which they had conducted the chase for the man who it is alleged, is the murderer. The police of the Yukon, he says, are deserving of the greatest credit for the splendid work they are doing in keeping the place free from crime. He says they are making a great record for themselves and have the confidence of the whole territory.

Of the Porcupine district, he says there are ten to fifteen outfits which have landed at Fort Yukon this season since the Yukon river opened bound for the upper Porcupine and its tributaries on prospecting trips. Mr. Cadgow says that the Porcupine is one of the grandest tributaries of the Yukon, and is, navigable for the largest river boats for as far as Rampart House, a distance of 275 miles above Fort Yukon, and above that a steamer the size of the Tanana could run to Lapierre House on the Bet river, within a comparatively short distance of Fort Macpherson on the Mackenzie river and almost on the eastern boundary of Yukon territory, which means that the Yukon territory can be crossed on the Porcupine waters.

At the time of his leaving Dawson there was word of another miners' strike at Fairbanks in the Tanana, a wire being received at Dawson asking the sympathy of the men there, no further news, however, was to hand at the time of his leaving. On the old strike made a year ago at Onoka down the Yukon below Tanana there has recently been reported a good find and a stampede has occurred there. Mr. Cadgow, however, does not place great reliance on the find, rather attributing the stampede to the necessity of the hundreds of idle men in the Tanana district who are willing to chase any feather and follow any report in hope of work or making a strike.

Mr. Cadgow also passed Wada, the Jap, going back to the island to Herschel Island by way of Nome. It is now fine weather among the Gulf Islands. A good many are patronizing the excursions by the V. &amp; S. railway and steamer. Tourists. These trips are very popular among strangers visiting the city. Leaving Victoria in the morning a pleasant day can be spent on the water, returning to the city the same evening.

## ENJOYABLE GARDEN PARTY.

St. Paul's Fete Was Well Attended—A Good Programme Given.

A well-attended and most enjoyable garden party was held at St. Paul's rectory, Esquimalt, on Tuesday last. Those in charge had left nothing untried in the endeavor to provide ample entertainment and their arrangements were crowned with success. The various attractions were well patronized, those in charge being kept busy. The latter follow: Rifle range, Q. M. J. Hooper, T. Wright; clock golf, Miss Pooley; Aunt Sally, Messrs. Paddon and Prior; cabbage patch, Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Price; plain needle work table, Mrs. Andrews; flower stall, Mrs. Holligan and Miss Crocker; candy stall, Miss Rutter and Mrs. Leigh; ice cream and lemonade stall, Mrs. Hooper and Miss Ishibashi; strawberry and cream stand, Mrs. Hemans and Mrs. Scott. The tea committee consisted of Mrs. Appleby, assisted by Mrs. Crocker, Mrs. Benson, Mrs. Pinnore, Mrs. Hutchison, Misses Hainwood, Stock, Leigh and Miller. The sailors of H. M. S. Shearwater had kindly decorated the grounds in artistic style.

The following programme was rendered in the evening: Mandolin solo, Woodland Sylphs, Miss L. Jenkins; song, Tatters, Miss Mary Crocker; duet, "Oh That We Two Were Maying," Miss E. Miller, Mr. F. Francis; recitation, "Change in Color," Miss Gladys Rutter; song, Miss Crocker; mandolin solo, "Polka Napole," Miss L. Jenkins; vocal duet, "To the Woods," Mrs. Wilson, Miss Miller; song, "Our Guards," F. Francis; part song, "All Among the Barley," members of the choir, "God Save the King." The accompanist was Miss Sanderson.

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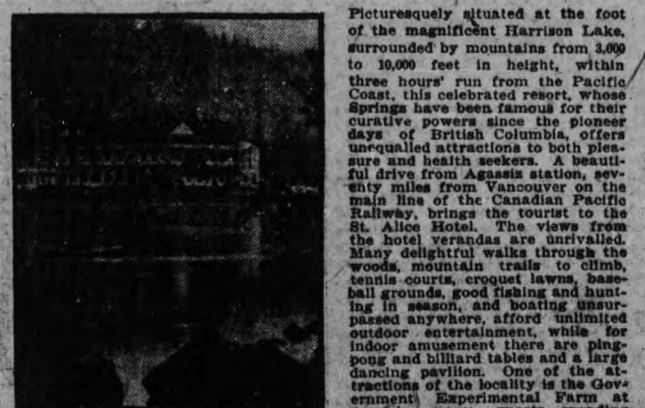
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The efficacy of the Harrison Waters in rheumatism, kidney and liver diseases, etc., has long since made these springs the most noted of the Pacific Northwest. Well fitted baths in the hotel are supplied with the mineral water. Those requiring medical advice may consult the resident physician, and advice may be taken under his superintendence. The St. Alice Hotel is open all the year round. Terms, \$2.50 per day and upward. American plan. Baths, etc., extra. Special terms to parties staying a week or longer. Address all inquiries to the manager.

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Before you reach the Gorge by pulling a boat from town. GET YOUR BOATS From the

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GORGE PARK Rates the same as city.

AT THE GORGE. Change in Programme Drew a Large Crowd Last Night.

The introduction of the illustrated song singer to the regular evening programme at the Gorge park proved a wise move on the part of the management, and last evening witnessed the largest crowd in the park that has been there this season. H. A. Bell, who has been engaged, is a tenor with a remarkable wide range of voice, and is heard in every part of the park. "Good Bye, Sweetheart, Good Bye," is the selection that has been chosen for him this week, and in his first appearance he made a decided hit, the audience calling loudly for an encore. In addition to the illustrated song, the programme of animated pictures is far in advance of anything shown at the park this season. Included in this programme is: "The Cabin Boy's Return," "The Animated Clock," and "A Terrible Sacrifice." In connection with this week's programme the management has arranged to have an orchestra at the park to-morrow afternoon as well as in the evening. This will prove a welcome to the many picnickers who are expected to make the Gorge their headquarters to-morrow.

The formal opening of the Japanese house boat will take place to-morrow, and the management has arranged to hold a tombola for which several very handsome prizes will be awarded. The first ticket will be given out at 10 o'clock, and to every person making a purchase until Saturday evening a ticket will be given entitling the holder to a chance in the drawing. At 8 o'clock on Saturday the drawing for the prizes will take place, the result of which will be announced from the stand in the park. The prizes for the tombola will be: First, musical album; second, set of Japanese flower pots and silk muffler; third, silk table cloth, and five booby prizes.

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## WILL RAISE LEVEL OF LAKE

IMPROVEMENTS TO BE UNDERTAKEN AT ONCE

Work of Increasing the Capacity of City's Source of Supply Goes On.

The improvements at Elk and Beaver lakes, recommended by Arthur L. Adams, the expert engaged by the council to superintend the installation of the new waterworks distribution system, are to be undertaken at once, the object being to raise the level of the lakes, thereby increasing their storage capacity. This work was provided for in the by-law passed by the ratepayers to raise \$20,000 for the purpose of installing a new distribution system. This work, it is estimated, will cost \$16,000. It is proposed to raise the level of the lakes about 3 1/2 feet at the outlet and also to divert into them by a system of ditches additional drainage from the west. The question of proceeding with the work will be considered by the streets, bridges and sewers committee on Friday evening.

The matter was brought up in council last evening by a report from James L. Raymur, water commissioner, asking that the \$16,000 be appropriated for the purpose for which it was intended, and also that \$1,500 be appropriated for cleaning the shores of the lakes, and that tenders be called for the sand required for renewing the filtration beds. Mr. Raymur pointed out that as this was the season of low water it was now the best time to make the improvements at the lakes. The first portion of the report was referred to the streets, bridges and sewers committee and the two latter items were adopted.

In a further communication Mr. Raymur and the city engineer have reached with Albert Toller for a portion of block 8, section 74, "The Eyrie," St. Charles street, for a site for the high level tank, which will supply water to the Rockland avenue section of the city. The terms of the agreement are that the city will pay Mr. Toller \$1,000 in cash, supply him with free water as long as he lives on his present property, and also allow him to connect with the septic tank. Mr. Toller is to supply people outside the city with water until there was sufficient supply for the residents, was filed.

A letter from McPhillips &amp; Heisterman acknowledging the receipt of the city solicitor's and the water commissioner's reply to their previous communication threatening legal action if the city continued to supply people outside the city with water until there was sufficient supply for the residents, was filed.

## AMERICA'S POETRY CROP.

Last year's poetry crop in America, it appears, was an exceptionally good one. According to authoritative statistics, published in the Philadelphia "Bulletin," it reached a total of 3,916,472 items, thus classified according to subject: Spring, 1,124,782; love, 1,172,341; despair, 80,095; hope, 1,538; your duty, 818,830; my duty, 2; total, 3,916,472.

## MORAL OF THE DERBY.

It is, no doubt, sad to have to admit that British humanity obstinately declines to be cured of its love of horses and the betting thereof by any amount of experience. But the gambling instinct is ineradicable, and the most wise legislation is to control it within such limits as circumstances may prove to be practicable.—Pall Mall Gazette.

"Hawthornedene," private hospital for women, 904 Pemberton road, in charge of a resident woman physician, is ideally situated for rest cure patients and convalescents. Standing in large grounds in a convenient residential quarter, it combines all the features of a retired pleasant home and a well equipped sanatorium.

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#### COMPLAINT ABOUT THE CHEMICAL ENGINE DEAL

Victoria Agents of Merryweather & Co. Are Not Given Chance to Tender.

The action of the council in awarding the contract for two chemical fire engines to the America-La France Company without advertising for tenders came in for some discussion at last night's meeting of that body. The contract was let a week ago on the recommendation of the fire wardens and several members of the council not of that committee, last night expressed their disapproval of this method of doing business when they learned that a local firm, Findlay, Durham & Brodie, agents for similar appliances, made by Merryweather & Co., of London, England, had not been given a chance to tender for the engines. The reason given for not calling for public tenders was that the fire wardens were anxious to secure the appliance with the least possible delay, and the excuse for not giving Findlay, Durham & Brodie a chance to figure was that the members did not know that that firm handle them. Chief Watson was blamed for not supplying this information.

The matter was brought up by the following letter from Findlay, Durham & Brodie:

We act as agents here for Messrs. Merryweather & Sons, Limited, of London, England, the well known suppliers of fire appliances, and we are very surprised and annoyed to hear that an order for two horse-drawn chemicals has been placed without our being given an opportunity to quote.

You will remember that for about a year past there has been a recommendation from the fire department to purchase one of Merryweather's motor chemical engines, for which we have at different times, by letter and cable, secured quotations and specifications, and we have had many interviews with the fire chief and members of the special committee with regard to this matter. On the last occasion, shortly before the placing of the order, we were particularly advocating the purchase of motor apparatus, which is being exclusively adopted by some of the leading cities of the United Kingdom. It made no difference to us, inasmuch as

Merryweathers supplied both motor and horse-drawn apparatus. The chemical apparatus is the same in each, and we cannot understand why, when Merryweathers' motor chemical engines were specified for purchase, we should receive no notification or invitation to tender, when it was decided later to adhere to horse-drawn apparatus.

We think that local firms should receive at least fair and courteous treatment, and that an explanation is due to us. We, therefore, respectfully request that the matter be inquired into.

Mayor Hall—Shall this letter go to the fire wardens for report?

Ald. Fullerton, chairman of the fire wardens—There's nothing to report. Ald. Pauline held that there was. The letter just read called for an explanation. Personally he did not understand the matter. He could not see why a local firm, who represented the best known makers of fire-fighting appliances in the world, should be passed over.

Ald. Fullerton, in reply, said that the securing of a Merryweather motor engine, which he considered the best there was in the way of fire fighting appliances, had been decided on by the fire wardens. Recently, however, the fire wardens had come to the conclusion that it would be more in the interests of the city to secure two chemical engines at once. He didn't know at the time that Merryweather & Co. made horse-drawn chemicals, and so the chief had been instructed to get into communication with the La France and Seagraves people, the only makers of this kind of engine that the committee knew of, as soon as possible and to get figures from them for immediate delivery. The chief had done so, and the contract had been let to the America-La France Company. The engines being secured were similar to the one now in use.

Ald. Mable said that he had not known that the engines could be secured through a local agency, but the writers of this letter said that the chief knew. Why had he not told them? In fairness to the local firm they should have had a chance at this contract. The chief had led the committee to believe that the two firms mentioned by Ald. Fullerton were the only two which made such engines.

Ald. Hall said that tenders were called for other things required by the city and why not for engines? The local firm should have had the right to tender as well as the two other firms, from which prices had been secured.

Ald. Cameron remarked that while the need for the engines was urgent, still time was always taken to call for tenders for other things required by the city, and he could not see why a departure from the rule was justified in this case. The week or so that would have been required to advertise for

tenders would not have made much difference in their delivery.

Mayor Hall said that where the fire wardens erred, if err they did, was the result of the necessity of getting the additional fire-fighting equipment here with the least possible delay. After the by-law to raise the money for the purpose had been passed it had been threatened, with the result that nothing could be done toward the purchase of this equipment for thirty days. The advisability of securing a motor engine had been discussed, and the name of Findlay, Durham & Brodie mentioned in connection with the purchase of it. Then the fire had occurred at the Victoria machinery depot, and the committee decided that such an engine could not be got here as soon as the situation demanded. The committee did not then know that Merryweather & Co. supplied chemical engines such as had been purchased, and tenders had been asked only from the two firms.

The council had always tried to favor local contractors when awarding tenders. If it had not been for the urgency of the case public tenders would have been called for in this instance also.

Ald. Fullerton said the committee had been guided by the chief, when he said that there were only the two firms from whom they could buy engines of this kind, and it was a case of buying from either one of them. Personally he would have liked to have patronized the Old Country firm.

Ald. Hall said he knew that Ald. Fullerton had acted for the best, but the fact remained that a local firm had been slighted. They should have been given a chance to tender. They might not have got the contract, but they would then have had no reason to complain. The city was getting good engines, and there was no reason to kick on that score.

Ald. Pauline closed the discussion by remarking that the whole ground of complaint was that two American firms had been asked to tender, and people right at home had not been given a chance to do so.

It was decided that Findlay, Durham & Brodie be informed of the facts in connection with the case.

Later in the meeting the matter of inviting tenders for new fire alarm system came up. Ald. Fullerton said that the fire wardens had asked for tenders from the Ganewell and Scarr companies, the two best companies on the continent, but he would like to know whether the council would like that tenders should be advertised for this work. There was no answer to Ald. Fullerton's question and the matter dropped there.

Frank Nicholas, the Greek fisherman accused of attempting to criminally assault an eleven-year-old girl at Oak Bay Saturday evening, was given a hearing this morning, when he was acquitted by Magistrate Fay. There were a large number of witnesses, including the little girl. She told a rood straight story, but the magistrate held that there was not sufficient corroboration and also that the evidence of an assault was not strong enough. J. A. Aikman defended the man, while Supt. Hussey prosecuted.

### SO CHILDLIKE AND BLAND

#### OPPOSITION DENIES IT OBSTRUCTED SUPPLY

Records, However, Show How Time of Country Has Been Wasted.

The supply bill of \$31,309,355 put through the House of Commons might seem to have cleared up all difficulty in paying the public service for at least three months to come. But it has not. On July 1st a portion of the public service will be again without money; and the opposition were well aware of this when they refused to agree to a one-fourth vote of account.

The thirty odd millions covered by the last supply bill is made up mainly of the votes of such large spending departments as the post office, railways and canals, and customs—in which the collections of revenue are also very large—and a one-eighth vote on account of the other departments where the money has not been already voted. The supply bill was the second this season; and the total formally appropriated out of this year's estimates is \$47,000,000, out of which some \$20,000,000 has been voted on account and remains to be discussed when the full votes are under consideration. So that the net total of the estimates actually disposed of is only \$27,000,000.

The estimates for the year, as explained in the budget speech of the minister of finance, are: Consolidated and expenditure, \$78,871,471; capital account expenditure, including the National Transcontinental railway, \$42,365,820. The House of Commons has yet to discuss over \$30,000,000, and to actually pass over \$70,000,000. And, on July 1, the last vote on account—which covered four weeks' arrears and only two weeks' in advance—will run out; and several of the departments will be again unable to pay their way.

The opposition has recently asserted that it was not obstructing the granting of supplies; and its leader, Mr. R. L. Borden, stated last week that it had been passing supplies at the rate of a million a day. But this condition of affairs is of very recent date, and has not lasted more than two weeks. Behind that there lies a four months' stretch of the most improvident waste of time, when the House did not pass a million a day. In fact, it took two whole months to pass the small vote of \$314,800 for ocean and river service.

The committee of supply began to consider the first item of the vote on January 10th and it was March 10th before the last item of that \$314,800 was passed.

ter night—often until the small hours of the morning; and only a very small part of his estimates was allowed to pass the committee.

And now, when the full extent of the seriousness of this obstruction is beginning to dawn on the country, the opposition turns and blandly denies that it has been obstructing supply. Not only did it obstruct supply, but it degraded parliament to an unexampled degree, calumniating and slandering anyone who happened to be sufficiently distinguished to serve the country by holding a ministerial position.

The refusal of a one-fourth vote on account is only an indication that the opposition is reluctant to give up the old game of obstructing supply, at which they have become so expert; and unless Mr. R. L. Borden can continue to combat successfully the influence of Hon. George E. Foster, there will be another relapse into the old ways before July 1st.

The conduct of the opposition is none too business-like even as it is; and, if a careful analysis is made of how it spent the week before last, it will be found that it was responsible for wasting no less than 14 hours. On Friday, for instance, the whole morning and afternoon were wasted by fruitless inquiries and discussions; and the House did not get into committee of supply until nine o'clock at night. Much of Wednesday was similarly wasted and there was only one hour of supply before the adjournment at 6 o'clock. Several hours on both Monday and Tuesday were also needlessly occupied; and the proceedings last week do not show that the opposition have yet got down to fair conception of how they ought to assist the business of the country.—Ottawa Free Press.

#### TRACK TEAM

Y. M. C. A. Athletes Will Leave for Vancouver To-night.

The Y. M. C. A. track team will leave to-night for Vancouver to take part in the meeting being pulled off under the auspices of the Vancouver Y. M. C. A. to-morrow under the sanction of the C. A. A. L. The events will be for the championship of British Columbia. The following comprise the team and the events in which they will compete:

Half-mile relay, Agnew, Holmes, Sproule and Clarke; 100 yards, Agnew and Holmes; 220 yards, Agnew, Holmes and Clarke; high jump, Heater; broad jump, Clarke; putting the eight-pound shot, Heater; fifty yards dash for boys 15 and under, Clarke; senior, 56-pound weight, Mansel; 16-pound shot, Elliott. W. G. Findlay will go over in charge of the boys who have all done their work well and are in fine fettle and confident of bringing back the winnings.

The Emmanuel Young People's Society last night went to the Gorge, where they held a surprise visit to the Y. M. C. A. campers. The visitors took with them several packages of cake and other edibles. An enjoyable evening was spent and the visitors refused to leave till a late hour, but they were not pressed to go before that time.

### Local News

—The building returns up to noon today totalled \$71,810. The bulk of this was made up of new residences, the number of which was 37. There was one warehouse valued at \$3,000, and the balance is made up of additions and repairs to dwellings.

—The police court docket this morning consisted of two drunks. One of them, Sam, a Chinaman, pleaded not guilty yesterday, but by this morning he had changed his mind and paid \$5. The other one is making a record for himself. Three days in succession he has been taken in charge by the police while drunk, and on each occasion he secured his release after sobbing by putting up \$10 bail. Each day it has been estranged.

—The Young People's Society of the Centennial Methodist church held a medal elocutionary contest last night at the church, in which there were five competitors, Misses Palmer, Whitehead and Aubin, and Messrs. Hadfield and Alton. The contestants recited a poem, a psalm and read at sight a selection from the New Testament. The judges, W. H. Parsons, W. M. Mitchell and A. Menagh, awarded the bronze medal to J. Alton. There was a large attendance, and a highly satisfactory gathering.

—An adjourned meeting of the Natural History Society was held last evening, at which the usual routine of business was transacted and a paper read by Frank Sylvester, entitled "The Old Brigade Trail in '59," which vividly portrayed the difficulties of travel in the early days from Lillooet to Fort Alexander. The society also decided to adjourn their next meeting until the first Monday in September. A field expedition will be held on July 4th, Saturday next, to Goldstream, by the E. & N. railroad.

—Provincial Constable Conway is having more than enough trouble with the life buoys which the government placed at the Gorge this year. As a result of some complaint that was made about there being no life-saving appliances there, the local government gave instructions for the purchase of four buoys and Serg. Murray carried them out. Since then Constable Conway has had constant trouble through people amusing themselves by throwing the buoys into the water, and some one went so far as to steal the 50 feet of rope which was attached to one of them. The latest evidence of interference was reported to the provincial police department this morning, when information was left there that one of the buoys was lying up beyond the Craikflower road, having been thrown into the water by some irresponsible person and carried up by the stream.

Mrs. de Blaquiere will not be home to friends until September.

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SCHOOLS CLOSE  
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## Division V.

Promoted on years' work—Nora Moore, Gabrielle Pauly, Marjorie Smith. Promoted on examination—Olive Ald, Agnes Anderson, Irene Ball, Ethel Brakes, Emma Butler, Maud Christie, Ruth Cochrane, Lillian Collinge, Agnes Corbett, Maud Donovan, Jessie Dunne, Edith Jean, Phyllis Knowles, Mabel Lehman, Agnes McCann, A. Mittalate, Rena Moore, Madeline Plummer, Majorie Rant, Carrie Townsend, Nellie Wheeler, Hazel Wood, Edith Webb, Lena McLachlan.

## Honor Roll.

Proficiency, Gabrielle Y. Pauly; department, Nora E. Moore; punctuality and regularity, Agnes M. E. Corbett, Maud M. Donovan, Edith M. Hume, Augusta A. Mittalate, Madeline Plummer.

## From Div. VI. to Div. V.—Junior to Senior 3rd Reader—V. H. Hardie.

Promoted—Alice Caras, Audrey Davies, Doris Bagshaw, Florence Hafer, Frances Norries, Lillian Kingston, Grace Woodley, Christabel Halsey, Minnie Moody, Angeline Jessop, Mary King, Muriel Grant, Isobel Bailey, Dorothy Gardner, Margaret Anderson, Leah Thompson, Violet Anderson, Grace Monteith, Vivette Poudrier, Margaret Dunn, Myrtle McDonald, Lillian Mansel, Agnes Gertrude, Hazel North, Marion Cameron, Sadie Finland, Hettie Blankenbach, Hilda Longland, Kathleen Gass, Lena Duck, Alice Ewing, Florence Billard, Florence McMillan.

## Recommended—Ethel Gibson, Margaret Erskine, Majorie Campbell, Thelma Gowen.

## Honor Roll.

Department, Muriel Grant; proficiency, Alice Caras; regularity and punctuality, Margaret E. Henly, Lillian A. Mansel, Alice O. P. Ewing.

## Division VII. to Division VI.

Promoted with honors—Agnes Carlow, Annie Murray, Loris Macfarlane, Helen McLeod, Gladys House.

## Promoted—Florence Anderson, Margaret Bradston, Winifred Small, Mabel Charlton, Alleen Brown, Janet McIntyre, Mabel Anderson, Emma Watson, Mabel Carruthers, Alice Morrell, Margaret Winsor, Ruth Gilby, Helen Murray, Olive Logan, Gertrude Muir, Margaret Ullson, Irma Creedon, Irene McDonald, Audrey Carter, Olive Tubman, Mildred Johnston, Winifred Creed, Dora Allhouse, Emma Waghorn, Helen Jones, Gladys Clements, Hedi Kawai, Violet Cornish, Violet Porter, Myrtle Kipparick, Estelle Roberts, Bernice Bull.

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Department, Agnes Carlow; proficiency, Gladys House; regularity and punctuality, Olive Logan, Audrey Carter, Irene McDonald.

## Division VIII.

First Reader results—Honors: Dorothy Bowers, Madeline Nelson and Gladys Keown (all equal), Pearl Williams, Marian Simpson, Francis Lewis, Hester Smith, Audrey Rant, Jessie Winterburn, Grace Darling, Beatrice Mathew, Winifred Winsor, Ruth Gilby, Agnes Carlow, Alison Chrov, Eva Bevillock, Jessie Hayward, Lillian Robinson, Ethel Bray, Ella Paul, Hazel Parfitt, Violet Morry, Gertrude Flett, Mildred Corbett, Isabella Taylor.

## Second Reader results—Honors:

Elizabeth Harkness, Maud Williams, Victoria Lammam, Dorothy Neal, Agnes Burridge and Gwendolyn Stevens (equal), Hazel Maynard, Edith Burridge, Elizabeth Middleton, Ellen Rodgrave, Violet Mason, Florence May, Alice Watson, Ethel Salloway.

## From Division IX. to Division VIII.

Promotion list—Dennis Anderson, Ethel Bell, Violet Bennett, Kate Evelyn Boorman, Florence Brady, Doris Marguerite Croft, Norrie Erskine, Jessie Isabel Florence, Edna Gertrude Humber, Ida Chew Kong, Olive Elias, both Kilpatrick, Isabel Jean Laurison, Edna Helen Lawrence, Majorie Vera McDonald, Maggie Catherine Nettleton, Irene Emily North, Florence Amelia Parker, Margaret Plummer, Gwyneth Jean Rant, Grace Winifred Smith, Hazel Walker, Mohra Terry.

## NORTH WARD.

At the North Ward school the term was closed informally with brief exercises and dismissal by individual rooms. The distribution of honor rolls was as follows:

## Division II. Senior—C. A. Dowler.

General proficiency, John McEwan; regularity and punctuality, Ethel Smethurst and Frances Johnson; department, Beattie Forbes, Emily Purdy, Victor Leigh, Erna Crawford, Althea Oliver, Flora Hagenbuch, Hazel McKittrick.

## Division III. Senior—Miss S. J. Merton.

Department, Gladys Fulton, Lee Wal; punctuality and regularity, Gordon McLeah, Chilton Kirk, May Goodfield; proficiency, Frank Wood.

## Senior IV.—Mr. King.

Proficiency, Chas. French, Calvin Boote; department, Mabel Beaumont, Ruth Gregg, Margaret Hampton.

Attendance—Maude Basse, Margaret Hampton, Maudie Nagano, Grace Lane, Selma Hiotte, Harriett McKay.

Division V.—Miss Tingley.

Proficiency, Edna Gray; department, Alice Stewart; punctuality and regularity, Florence Richards, Estelle Anderson, John Gault.

Division VI.—Mrs. McKenzie.

Proficiency, Beatrice N. Monka; department, Katherine Davis; regularity and punctuality, Beattie Jennings, Ivy Gibson.

Division VII.—Miss Chapman.

Proficiency, Albert Hagard; regularity and punctuality, Barbara Sinclair; department, Irene Hall.

Division VIII.—Miss Sprague.

Proficiency, Harry Wilmer; regularity and punctuality, Kathia M. Jack-

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Phyllis Pearce, Edward Newman, Clarence Brown, Clifford Renouf, Clarence Howard McMillan, Elsie Davidson, Gladys Irene Ford, Freda George, Clementine Le Sueur, Albert John McGowan, Robert William Murray, John Drummond Pike, Edward Rigby, Alfred Stapleton, Thomas Sheppard, John Frederick Whitty, Harold Estes.

Rolls of Honor.

Proficiency, Phyllis Pearce; department, Ruby Ann Pussey; punctuality and regularity, Eva May Dee and John William Dee.

From 1st Reader to 2nd Reader.

Athole Wallace Pearce, Benjamin Clifford Davies, Paul Allan King, Albert Badcock, James Leonard Gray, Rose Jeannette Brakes, Christina Drysdale, Carvel Christine George, Sidney Howard Knott, William James McCormick, William Sweetland Morry, Mabel Victoria Millington, Lavinia Mary Millington, Clifford Deane McKittrick, Earle Alan Robert, Josephine Reardon, Greta Sigurdson, Victor Silvert, Elwood Thompson Smith, Frederick Goodman, Mildred Gwendoline Wilson, Bertha Ellen Cook.

From 2nd Reader to 3rd Reader.

David Thomas Staples, Raymond Victor Norman, Harry Norman, Cressie Clara Keefe, Lillian Edith Fullerton and Nina Mary Rigby equal, Lilla Gertrude Bolden, Gladys Blanche Campbell, Josephine Crowther, Edmund Varnes Dunspey, Herbert Clark Fullerton, Eva Mary Jeanne, Esther Graham Morry, Malcolm Martin More, Victor Henry Marsh, Frank Parsons, Christian Silvert, Cyril Knight Sprinkling, Helen Josephine Sinclair, Dorothy Elizabeth Simmonds.

From 3rd Reader to 4th Reader.

Herbert Wilfred Brown, Evelyn Magd Amorsen, Percy Edmund Wills, Regina Victoria Wall, Grace Mouat Adam, George James Jones, James Campbell Petticrew, Robert Francis Daisel.

Honor Roll—Division II.

Proficiency, Athole Pearce; department, Lavinia Mary Millington; regularity and punctuality, Julia Bertucci, Christina Drysdale, Cecil Samuel Liddell, Mabel Victoria Millington, William James McCormick.

Division I.

Proficiency, Herbert Wilfred Brown (intermediate grade), David Thomas Staples (junior grade); department, Dorothy Elizabeth Gray; punctuality and regularity, Marie Ellen Pussey, James Campbell Petticrew, Laurel Elsie Jeanne, Cassie Clara Keefe, Herbert Brown and David Staples had perfect attendance throughout the year but are not eligible for two honor rolls.

ROCK BAY.

At the closing exercises for Rock Bay school a good attendance of parents and friends was present. A programme was given consisting of songs, recitations, etc., given by the school.

The following are the rolls of honor for the school:

Division I.

Regularity and punctuality, Guy Martin; proficiency, Lawrence Merkley; department, Olga McDougall.

Division II.

Regularity and punctuality, Hilma Blomquist; proficiency, Joe Shon Quarr; department, Lai Yee.

SOUTH PARK.

About one hundred and fifty were present at the closing exercises when a good programme, consisting of songs, recitations, etc., was given.

Rev. Canon Beaudin presented two prizes—one for the most popular boy or girl given best account of his family history—won by Beatrice Heyland.

The medal annually presented by C. E. Redfern, known as the Redfern medal, will be presented to the pupil of the South Park school taking highest standing at the high school entrance examination.

H. Laundry got a valuable silver cup for first in broad jump under 14, and second in high jump under 14 at the annual field sports, held May 23rd.

J. Reiford got a silver medal for the second in a hundred yards, under 14, on the same occasion.

The following promotion and honor lists were announced:

Division I.—W. N. Winsby.

Rolls of Honor.

Department, Honor Nash; regularity and punctuality, Kathia M. Jack-

son; Hazel H. King, Allan J. Dorman, Alice L. Pottinger.

Division IX.—Miss Johnson.

Department, Stewart G. Taylor; proficiency, Eva Burnie; regularity and punctuality, Archd. E. MacBachren, Mabel Ralph, Hugh Hampton.

Promotions at the North Ward school will be made at the beginning of the new term. During the present term the teachers' lunch room has been artistically fitted, and yesterday presentations were made towards its further advancement by Mr. Dobson, the teacher of singing, who leave to-day, who contributed two framed water colors. Mr. Dobson's gift consisted of two hand-painted wall panels.

SPRING RIDGE.

At the closing of the school to-day the following programme was given: Song, "We're Marching from School," by the school; Reading (by representatives of each class)—Beginners, Lizzie Wentz; 1st primer, Reginald Stevens; 2nd primer, Phyllis Pearce; 1st reader, Paul King; 2nd reader, Malcolm More; 3rd reader, Grace Adam; song, "The Holidays," by the school; spelling match, division I, won by Majorie Pussey; piccolo solo, Athole Pearce; song, "Forest Echoes," division I and II; National Anthem.

The promotion lists were as follows:

From 1st Primer to 2nd Primer.

Dorothy Helen Wailes, Annyth Marjorie Wailes, Ralph Roy Robinson, Hannah Drysdale, George Lester Jones, Arthur Badcock, Carman Ross Easton, Marguerite Gandy, Allan Edward Griffiths, William Gordon More, Robert McDonald, Arthur Rendall, Reginald William Stevens, Jack Simmonds, Mary Webster.

Rolls of Honor.

Proficiency, Dorothy H. Wailes; department, Aldyth Muriel Wailes; punctuality and regularity, Mary Elizabeth Weber and Alexander Bertucci.

From 2nd Primer to 1st Reader.

Phyllis Pearce, Edward Newman, Clarence Brown, Clifford Renouf, Clarence Howard McMillan, Elsie Davidson, Gladys Irene Ford, Freda George, Clementine Le Sueur, Albert John McGowan, Robert William Murray, John Drummond Pike, Edward Rigby, Alfred Stapleton, Thomas Sheppard, John Frederick Whitty, Harold Estes.

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From 3rd Reader to 4th Reader.

Herbert Wilfred Brown, Evelyn Magd Amorsen, Percy Edmund Wills, Regina Victoria Wall, Grace Mouat Adam, George James Jones, James Campbell Petticrew, Robert Francis Daisel.

Honor Roll—Division II.

Proficiency, Athole Pearce; department, Lavinia Mary Millington; regularity and punctuality, Julia Bert











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## YEAR'S REPORTS FROM HOSPITAL

### ANNUAL MEETING WAS HELD YESTERDAY

#### The Question of Caring for Consumptives Was Discussed.

The reports of the directors of the Provincial Jubilee hospital were presented at the annual meeting of the donors and subscribers which was held in the board of trade rooms yesterday afternoon. F. B. Pemberton occupied the chair, some of those present being: Mrs. J. D. Pemberton, Mrs. C. W. Rhodes, Mrs. Hasell, Mrs. J. H. Barnard, Mrs. Dalby, Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. Rocke, Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. Musgrave and Mrs. Messers. J. B. Pemberton, Alex. Wilson, R. S. Day, J. A. Macdonald, Dr. R. K. E. Lewis, R. E. Brett, J. H. Barnard, H. E. Helmenken, Jas. Forman and H. E. Newton.

The first report related to repairs and improvements which have been made during the past year. Improvements Made. In the children's ward a hot air furnace has been installed, the basement made fit for occupation and the Woman's Auxiliary have added a sun room. The Ward itself, kitchen and lavatory have just been painted so that the wing of the hospital may be considered finished. The large room, now known as No. XXV, has been thoroughly renovated, newly furnished and provided with a bathroom en suite. Gas for fuel purposes in the sterilizing room has been installed, for which the hospital will have to pay the sum of \$410. The steps at the main entrance have been renewed. A contract has been let for a nurses' home, the cost of which will be \$14,101; also for re-roofing with P. & B. those portions of the main buildings now covered with cedar shingles, at an additional cost of \$1,810.

More Funds Required. Commenting upon the need of more funds for further improvements the report says:

While this may be considered a very fair showing for one year it is far short of urgent requirements in which connection may be mentioned mere private rooms, a new laundry, improved heating system, building suitable for the general wards and a furnished home. Funds are urgently required for these improvements.

Reference was made to the provincial government grant of \$15,000 which, although augmented by the city by \$7,500, was still far short of the amount required for treating the city's free patients.

The report went on to say: The cost of nearly all supplies has been increased. Twenty free beds have been added to the hospital from which the only revenue is the per capita grant of 45 cents per day's stay from the provincial government. These, with a larger increased day's stay have resulted in a heavily increased expenditure, and call for full consideration from the city council whose grant, we consider, should be at least \$10,000 and from the charitably disposed public of our community.

Acknowledgment and thanks were tendered by the directors to the Women's Auxiliary, the Daughters of Pity, and the King's Daughters for their good work on behalf of the hospital, and also to the visiting, medical and surgical staff and the matron and staff for their care of the patients.

The matron's report read as follows: The staff at the present time consists of M. C. Macdonald, matron; Miss G. Richards, head nurse; Miss Macrae, who has charge of the Strathcona ward; twenty-two pupil nurses, two probationers and two male nurses.

During the year thirty-eight applications for admission to the training school have been received. Ten applications were taken on probation and were accepted as pupil nurses. The graduating class for the year: Miss Lucas, Miss J. Charman, Miss G. G. Smith, Miss M. Charman, Miss McQuarrie, Miss Carter, Miss Smith, Miss John, Miss Rankin, Miss Vautreight.

Our thanks are due to Dr. Fraser, Dr. E. Hall, Dr. Leeder, Dr. Staniel,

Dr. Dabey, Dr. McMicking and Dr. Russell for lectures during the year.

The Woman's Auxiliary have, as usual, attended to the sewing and mending, have also furnished the linen, blankets, china and many other things which make the wards more comfortable and attractive for the patients. We would also thank the Daughters of Pity and King's Daughters, and many kind friends who have sent flowers, fruit, books and magazines. Respectfully submitted.

M. C. MACDONALD, Matron.

The financial statement was as follows:

June 1, 1907.

To cash balance ..... \$11,936.77

Receipts.

May 31, 1908.

To grants subscriptions and

Donations ..... 18,663.75

Pay patients ..... 26,463.75

Sales of farm products ..... \$23.78

Bank interest ..... 273.08

Total receipts ..... \$46,724.36

Can. Bank of Com. overdraft ..... 977.69

Total ..... \$45,746.67

Expenditure.

May 31, 1908.

By expenses per statement, \$47,597.24

Children's ward, construction

account ..... 2,443.97

Can. Bank of Com., last

year's overdraft ..... 1,398.16

Balance at Can. Bank of

Com. Sav. Dept. .... \$7,126.48

Cash on hand ..... 50.00

Total ..... 7,176.64

Coal supplied Dr. Hasell and

unpaid for ..... \$21.85

Total ..... \$58,638.82

\*Paid subscriptions and

Audited and found correct.

W. CURTIS SAMPSON.

The superintendent's report was submitted by Forrest Leeder in the absence of Dr. Hasell.

The number of patients treated this year compared with last is as follows:

In patients ..... 873 1,104

Out patients ..... 214 109

Total ..... 1,087 1,213

The total collective days stay this year shows an increase as compared with last year. The figures for 1907 year are 26,736, and for 1908, 25,836, an increase of 2,900 days.

The daily average number of patients was 71.067, as against 65.11 in 1907. The cost of maintenance this year was \$47,597.24; last year, \$38,992.57. This is explained by the increased number of patients, the greater length of their stay at the hospital, and the increased cost of food, in one item, that of milk alone. In 1907 it cost \$1,480.27; this year, \$2,887.25. Furnishings are responsible for \$446.88 more than in 1907. Repairs and improvements, \$2,107.64 more than in 1907. The above figures account for the cost of maintenance of each patient per diem amounting to \$11.825, as against \$11.64 in that of preceding years.

Dr. Leeder, in his report, strongly urged the provision of a separate building for incurable cases.

A separate ward was needed for incurable patients as also for the advanced cases of tuberculosis, which the hospital was now compelled to accept.

In concluding his report Dr. Leeder spoke of the appointment of Dr. Wallace as an unqualified success. Thanks were due Messrs. Lee and Fraser for again certifying the government returns.

The annual statement for receipts and disbursements was submitted by R. S. Day, the honorary treasurer.

The overdraft on current account has been reduced from \$1,398.16 to \$977.69. The expenditure of \$47,597.24 shows an increase of \$8,604.67 due to the larger day's stay of patients treated, the much higher cost of many supplies, the running expenses of the children's ward opened during the year and the payment of \$2,554.52 more than in the previous year on repairs, improvements and furnishings.

The Bachelors' donation towards the maternity ward with accrued interest to the 31st day of May, 1908, amounting to \$175.94 is deposited in the Savings Bank Department of the Bank of Commerce.

There remains in the Bank of Montreal in the joint names of the Hon. Treasurer and the Secretary of the Women's Auxiliary the sum of \$38.96 for the children's ward.

There is deposited in the Bank of Commerce for new buildings and permanent improvements the sum of \$7,126.48.

At the report, H. Dallas Helmenken called attention to the ad-

verse criticism regarding the location of the new building. The building committee, said he, had taken special care in the selection of the site and, in his opinion, the criticism was in very bad taste.

Mr. Pemberton drew attention to the fact that the committee of six had been unanimous in the choosing of a site for the new Nurses' Home.

Mr. Helmenken thought that Dr. Fagan, if he were correctly understood, had spoken rather invidiously in certain remarks which he had made. At the same time the doctor's deep-hearted interest in the fight against tuberculosis was well known and appreciated.

The hospital, said the speaker, had an excellent recollection of the refusal to receive last summer a patient in the last stages of consumption but this refusal had been made upon the express counsel of the medical health officer. A tent had, however, been erected upon the grounds and everything possible done to comply with Dr. Fagan's request.

Hence they should not be subjected to the insinuation that they were in any way seeking to interfere with the successful culmination of Dr. Fagan's good work, and for this reason it was eminently desirable that exception should be taken to statements which were likely to be detrimental to the welfare of their own institution while this was especially the case in view of the enlargement of the other hospital. Improvements in their existing accommodation were urgently demanded by the pressing necessities of the situation and he hoped that they would at a reasonably early date be in a position to carry them into effective execution. (Applause.)

Mr. Pemberton wished to draw attention to the report relative to proper provision for incurable patients. "This is a matter of the first importance. We are now obliged to receive consumptive patients, while we are in addition, always receiving people, who inevitably become incurable, and we should unquestionably have a ward for their suitable accommodation."

Mrs. Rhodes—"Our constitution and by-laws forbid the reception of incurables."

"But if they are brought to us and are friendless, we cannot turn them out on the streets," commented Mr. Pemberton.

Alex. Wilson thought that the government ought to take up the matter and erect a hospital for incurable patients. In other parts of Canada, for instance, in Montreal, accommodation had been provided for this class of patients. The public in Montreal had largely contributed to the maintenance of the hospitals for incurable, but here the people were neither sufficiently numerous nor wealthy and the government should accordingly take action.

Mr. Wilson apparently expressed the opinion of a majority present.

The speaker spoke of the admission of drunkards to the hospital. This had, he felt, become a serious abuse as attacks of alcoholism or delirium tremens often ensued. A ward should be set aside for this class.

If the government insisted upon their receiving consumptives, why didn't they give them the necessary funds to erect a couple of cottages? (Hear, hear.)

An improvement all around would be effected, said Mr. Wilson, if the city were to hand over to them the hospital for infectious diseases, which would also afford the nurses better training opportunities. It would also be prudent to have a cottage for the treatment of cases of temporary insanity.

A hearty vote of thanks to different organizations, connected with the hospital, the Women's Auxiliary, the Daughters of Pity and the King's Daughters, for their faithful and conscientious work during the past year, was passed.

Mr. Day stated that the placing of the president of the Women's Auxiliary upon the board of directors had proved to be a most decided success, for no member of the board had given more time, or had exhibited a greater degree of devotion and zeal to the important duties which they had in hand.

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